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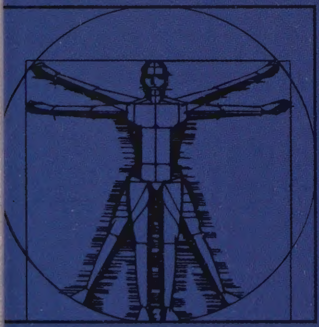

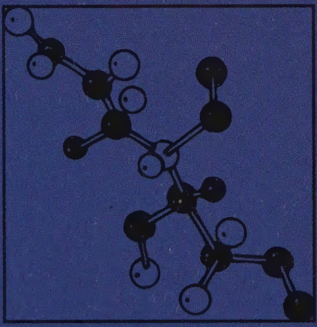

Northern Garrett High School
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Accident, MD 21520

What are you

Husky packs are made up of sports and cohorts, clubs and subs, friends and trends. Four years of high school at Northern teach students more than just mathematical equations; high school teaches students about themselves. Sure, the academic aspect of school is very important to many students. But learning how to interact with peers and teachers alike is also something that is very important. Students learn what they are made of and who they are going to become after high school. Clubs and other activities soon help to shape who the students become. These different aspects of each student's life show the world what they are made of.

By Amy Lander

Checkmate
Pictured above, Dylan Beitzel, 10, plans his next tactical move while playing chess during a Chess Club meeting.

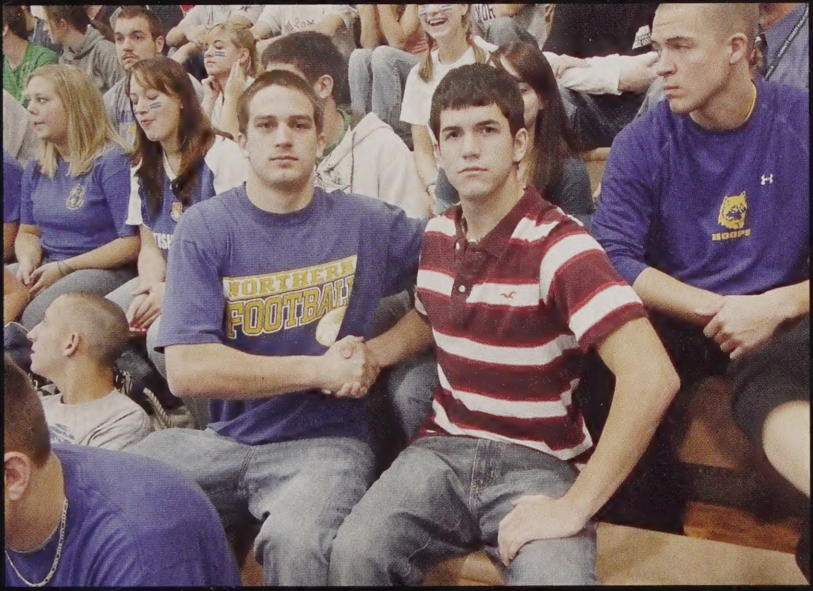
Painting Up
Pictured below, Julia Miller, 11, and Ashleigh Friend, 11, show their school pride by painting their faces for War of the Classes.

Pictured above, Dan Smith, 12, and Stephanie Hebb, 9, show what they are made of by dancing up a storm at Homecoming.

made of?

Loud and Proud
Pictured above, Trevor Devore, 11, yells for his team during the War of The Classes games before Thanksgiving break.

Husky Pride
Pictured above, the Northern High School cheerleading team move their pompoms together to make an "N."



Best Buds
Pictured above, Gesse Glotfelty, 12, and Eric Espada, 12, pose for the camera.

Headers
Pictured right, Daniel Boylan, 11, attacks the ball, as Ryan Bowser watches in anticipation.

Leaders of the Pack!

Mahatma Gandhi once said, "we must become the change we want to see." Many seniors work hard in sports and clubs to eventually gain leadership positions. They show their coaches and advisors that they have what it takes to lead the team. Like huskies, they work hard as young pups to move to the front of the pack.

Providing Support
The senior spectators encourage the players who represent them in the War of the Classes.

Seniors work hard for four years to get to the special ceremony of graduation. It is a moment that everyone looks forward to from the time they are freshmen. Challenging themselves to achieve this top status gives seniors the motivation to work even harder.

By Stephanie Shapiro

Making a Launch
Pictured above, Chris Wood, 12, launches tennis balls across the football field as part of a physics experiment.

School Spirit
Pictured above, Ariana Wilt, 12, gets the fans pumped up for the big game ahead of them.

Flying High
Pictured above, Kory Gibson, 12, throws up the basketball during an intense practice.

Fun Facts
Pictured above, Leah Frazee, 12, reads through her planner.

Passing the time
Pictured left, Stephaine Shapiro, Amy Lander, and Ainsley Railey, 12, discuss the previous classes' happenings.

MacBeth
Pictured right, Abbey Rugola, Sarah Griffin, Nicole Opel, and Alexis Shannon, 12, show off thier *Macbeth* projects in Ms. Logan's English class.

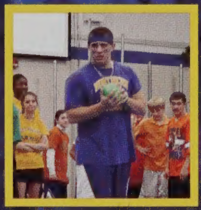
Rooting out the Problem
Steven Funk, 12, learns about the agricultural aspect of Garrett County.

Tough Call
Captains Elijah Lais, 12, and Zach Trautwein, 12, start off the soccer game by calling heads or tails as the referee flips the coin.

Working Hard
Seth Broadwater, 12, makes sparks during a welding project.

About Face!
Jon Deem, 12, is styling and profiling in a World War II army helmet.

Dancing with the stars
Hannah Walters, 12, poses for a dance shot.



Turkey Bowling
Patrick Brady, 12, gets ready to bowl with his turkey during War of the Classes.

Teaching the Class
Mitchell Hall, 12, shows what he learned about *Macbeth* during his senior English class.

Working Hard or Hardly Working?
Chris Spiker, 12, works to complete his layout for yearbook.

A Piece of Christmas
Pictured right, Kelli Wilhelm, 12, is surprised by the camera as she helps set up the National Honor Society Christmas tree.

"The Great Escape"
Pictured above, the class of 2008 gets together for one last homecoming dance.

Remembering the Night
Megan Kamp, 12, brings a friend with her to prom so she can enjoy her final times at Northern High School.

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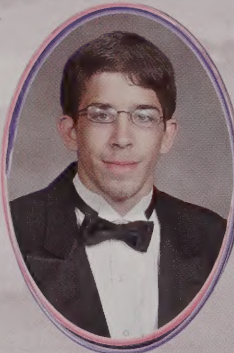
Jessica Kathryn Barrett

Nickname(s): Jessnica and Baby Jessnica
Birth date: July 28, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Hanging out with friends, dancing, swimming, shopping, etc.
Future Plans: Go to college for cosmetology and massage therapy then move back to Florida
Most Memorable Moment: Going to the basketball games was always fun, and just chilling with friends in school
Advice to Underclassmen: Pack your lunch and have fun with school.

Jessica Barrett



Roland Bertrand Beaule III

Nickname(s): Buddy
Birth date: August 10, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Envirothon, track, and hanging out with friends
Future Plans: Enlisting in the National Guard
Most Memorable Moment: Winning the spelling bee in 4th grade
Advice to Underclassmen: Never fall asleep in Mr. Kolbe's class.

Roland Beaule III

Krista Helena Beiler

Birth date: February 10, 1987
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Talking on the phone, riding a go cart, jumping on the trampoline, reading, color guard in band, track, Best Buddies, chorus, and [being a] student assistant.
Future Plans: [Go to] Garrett Community College [to be a] nursing assistant
Most Memorable Moment: Last year at the prom with my boyfriend
Advice to Underclassmen: Keep up the good work, be nice, study for tests, and do homework!

Krista Helena Beiler

Amanda Lou Beitzel

Nickname(s): Beitzel
Birth date: July 16, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Riding 4-wheelers, Best Buddies, S.A.D.D., S.T.E.A.M., 4-H, Peer Mediator, pulling garden tractor, taking pictures, hanging out with friends, and talking on the phone
Future Plans: To become an RN and work in the OB unit and fulfill all my dreams in life
Most Memorable Moment: My first time going to prom last year. My boyfriend Trevor got French dressing on his tux and we had to go back to my friend Jamie's house to use her Tide-to-Go pen. You never know when they might come in handy! That is what made my first prom so memorable.
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't talk back to your teachers, study hard, get good grades, and most important have as much fun as you can in high school because when you graduate the real life starts.

Amanda*Lou*Beitzel*

Brian Gene Benedict

Birth date: November 4, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: [Riding] four wheelers and hunting
Future Plans: Work

Brian Benedict

Megan Marie Bittinger

Nickname(s): Chrome
Birth date: November 13, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: FFA, four wheeler riding, fishing, and riding around with friends
Future Plans: Get a good-paying job, get married, and start a family
Most Memorable Moment: Almost getting suspended with my best friend in 11th grade . . . right Jamie? Ha Ha.
Advice to Underclassmen: Do all your work even if it seems pointless because in the end, it pays off.

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Ryan Anthony Bowser

Nickname(s): Bowser
Birth date: February 7, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Track and field, boys soccer, cross county, Letterman Club, Honor Society, and Envirothon
Future Plans: Get a scholarship to go to college and run cross country and track
Most Memorable Moment: Taking the cross county team to second place in the state and winning the state meet as an individual the first year we had cross country at NHS.
Advice to Underclassmen: Run fast and don't regret.

Ryan A Bowser

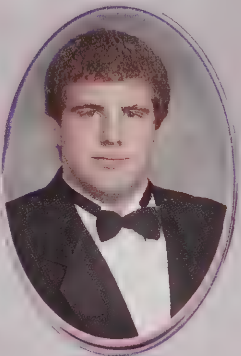
Christine Louise Bradshaw

Nickname(s): Thumper
Birth date: May 17, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Four wheeler riding, playing pool, and drawing
Future Plans: Go to college to be a RN
Most Memorable Moment: The first time I rode a four wheeler
Advice to Underclassmen: Do what you want to; don't let anybody tell you [that you] can't.

Michael Patrick Brady

Nickname(s): Pat
Birth date: September 3, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Baseball, basketball, music, and hanging out with friends
Future Plans: Go to college, hopefully WVU, and just make the best out of life
Most Memorable Moment: Going to states in baseball and playing at Cal Ripken Stadium and decorating Mr. Stough's door!
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't get worked up about small things, and make your 4 years the best that you can.

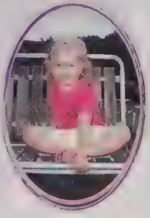
Patrick Brady



Danielle Ashton Brenneman

Nickname(s): Dani, DB
Birth date: December 6, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Volleyball (captain), basketball, softball, Girl's Varsity Club, Student Council, National Honor Society, class president, and yearbook
Future Plans: Go to college, become a biology teacher, and live a good life!
Most Memorable Moment: My most memorable moment is playing in the powderpuff football game in the cold rain and still beating the juniors 14-0!
Advice to Underclassmen: Everything you do, do it to the best of your ability, because you won't be given the chance to do it all over again.

Danielle Brenneman



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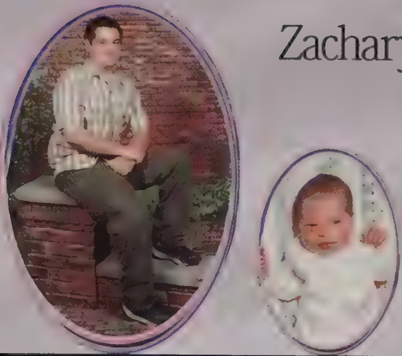

Zachary Alen Brenneman

Nickname(s): Jimmy
Birth date: October 12, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Paintball, hunting, and fishing
Future Plans: Become an automotive technician
Most Memorable Moment: Auto
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't get in trouble.

Ethan Michael Broadwater

Birth date: May 29, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Swimming, golf, horseback riding
Future Plans: [To be a] veterinarian and become very successful
Most Memorable Moment: [When I] saved a person from drowning
Advice to Underclassmen: Do well in school and it will pay off.

Kasondra Lynn Broadwater

Nickname(s): Kasondri, K-broad, Assistant, Broadwater twin
Birth date: September 29, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Senior class secretary, FFA, 4-H, and spending time with my family, guy and girl friends, and boyfriend
Future Plans: After graduation, I plan to go to college. I definitely want to sell insurance (and maybe become a history teacher). I also want to enter the beef industry. Then, after all of my schooling and get[ting] a job I love, I want to get married and raise a huge family.
Most Memorable Moment: My freshman year. I'll also never forget when Leah Frazee and I made the movie, "Bathing in Broadwater" and when I fell into a fire at a party and just started yelling, "What should I do?" And all the fun moments with Sarah Broadwater (my twin).
Advice to Underclassmen: Go out and make some memories but also have no regrets... "I've had nights I'll never remember and made friends that I'll never forget."

Kasondra Broadwater

Kurtis Ryan Broadwater

Birth date: March 24, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Riding four wheelers, pulling tractors, and getting in trouble
Future Plans: Farm
Most Memorable Moment: Putting worms on Jessie Wilt
Advice to Underclassmen: Pick on Mr. Roth.

Sarah Catherine Broadwater

Nickname(s): Sarah Belle
Birth date: November 25, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Swimming, going to the beach, shopping, four wheeler riding, and being with my friends
Future Plans: Go to college, get a job, and always have fun
Most Memorable Moment: Allied health class my senior year
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't believe all the gossip and live each day like there is no tomorrow!

Sarah Broadwater

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Seth James Broadwater

Nickname(s): Lewey
Birth date: February 12, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Riding, hunting, and wrestling
Future Plans: [To become] a contractor
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't drink and drive.

Seth Broadwater

Zak Jordan Brosnihan

Birth date: January 8, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Golf, basketball, wakeboarding, snowboarding, camp fires, sitting around
Future Plans: Go to Garrett College then transfer to WVU or FSU
Most Memorable Moment: Too many to name just one
Advice to Underclassmen: It's easier to say you're sorry than to ask for permission.

Zak Br

Neil Philip Buckel

Nickname(s): Nico, Neilio, The Dreamkiller
Birth date: August 2, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Playing the drums for the band ReDefined in Red, playing soccer, and running track
Future Plans: Attend Garrett College for 2 years and then WVU for the remaining time.
Most Memorable Moment: Defeating Beall my sophomore year 2-1 and Moutain Ridge 4-2 my senior year in soccer
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't take for granted your years in high school, they go by so quickly.

Neil Buckel

Taylor Robert Cabe

Nickname(s): Cabe
Birth date: January 21, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Whitewater rafting, kayaking, mountain biking , rock climbing, four wheeler riding, skiing, skateboarding, and wakeboarding
Future Plans: Go to Garrett College then start my own business
Most Memorable Moment: The most memorable moment will be the day I graduate.
Advice to Underclassmen: Live life to the fullest, you only live one.

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Michael Shane Clise

Nickname(s): Mike
Birth date: September 18, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Soccer, track, and hanging out with friends
Future Plans: Go to college and move on with my life
Most Memorable Moment: Electronics class and soccer games
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't let anyone tell you what you can't do.

Michael S. Clise

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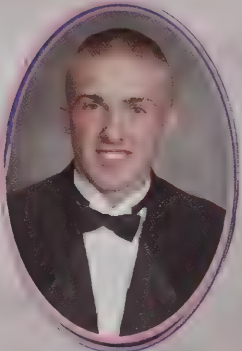
Lacey Starr Cordes

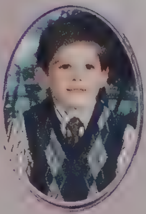
Nickname(s): Cords, Luciel, L, Lay, and Lace
Birth date: April 26, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Shopping, hanging out with friends, snowboarding, and partying
Future Plans: Go to college, find and marry my prince charming, and live happily ever after
Most Memorable Moment: Summer of '07
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't waste your time on petty drama. Attempt to join chess club, always say hi to Mr. Edwards, do all your papers the night before, and party like a rockstar.

Lacey Cordes



Richard Lee Cosner Jr.

Nickname(s): Ricky, Rick, G.I., Cos
Birth date: January 15, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Mountain biking, hiking, hunting, fishing, weightlifting, running, swimming, practicing rifle marksmanship all the time
Future Plans: Go back to Ft. Benning, GA for 8 weeks to finish AIT and do Airborne school. Then, most likely get deployed to Iraq or Afghanistan, and from there I'll get back to you on that.
Most Memorable Moment: Graduating basic training at Ft. Benning in Delta company 3/330, and having the best drill sergeant in the world, "DS JASSO", pronounced Hasso. Don't mess the name up!
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't mess around in school . . . NOT, well at least not too much.



Keith Allen Covell

Birth date: August 18, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Writing and reading
Future Plans: Writing career and [going into the] Army
Most Memorable Moment: Shooting an M16 and blowing stuff up with a fragmentation grenade. It was a blast! Yeah!
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't do drugs!

Keith Covell

Amber Nicole Custer

Birth date: August 7, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Working at Deep Creek Pizza, hanging out with friends, and S.A.D.D.
Future Plans: Go to college, become a pediatric nurse, work at Physician Care beside Ruby Memorial Hospital, get married, and start a family
Most Memorable Moment: Mr. Nicklin's Maryland's Tomorrow class
Advice to Underclassmen: Do your work! Don't let people bother you or believe what you hear.

Jonathan Edward Deem

Nickname(s): Jon
Birth date: January 19, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Read books and watch movies
Future Plans: Be a scientist and maybe a teacher or an author
Most Memorable Moment: When I won either second or third place in the science fair
Advice to Underclassmen: Be smart, stand up for what you believe in and be cool.

Jonathan Deem

Benjamin Lee Diehl

Nickname(s): Ben
Birth date: August 16, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football, baseball, and snowboarding
Future Plans: Go to college and make lots of money
Most Memorable Moment: Going to Cal Ripken Stadium to compete in the 1A Baseball State Championship
Advice to Underclassmen: DON'T TAKE A.P. BIO!!!

Ben Diehl

Kristopher Eugene Durst

Nickname(s): Lil Burst and Durstey
Birth date: September 8, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Riding ATVs and dirtbikes, hunting, fishing, hanging out with friends
Future Plans: To have a good job and take care of my family
Most Memorable Moment: When I first met my girlfriend, Brittney Pennington
Advice to Underclassmen: Live life to its fullest.

Kristopher Eugene Durst

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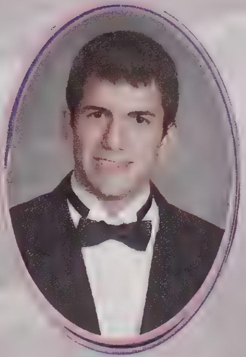
Eric Douglas Espada Jr.

Nickname(s): Enrique, Superman, etc.
Birth date: May 15, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football, snowboarding, and tennis
Future Plans: Go to a good college and own my own business
Most Memorable Moment: My sophomore year in football against Clear Springs when I had three carries, scored three touchdowns and had one hundred and fourteen yards
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't take AP Bio!

Eric Espada



Amanda Elaine Fazenbaker

Nickname(s): Mandi
Birth date: September 26, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Cheerleading, softball, Girls' Varsity, National Honor Society, and newspaper
Future Plans: Go to college, get a good job, get married, and be happy
Most Memorable Moment: Going to Nationals for cheerleading my sophomore year and getting stuck there for an extra day because of a snowstorm
Advice to Underclassmen: Make the most of high school while you can, 'cuz you'll miss it when you're gone.

Stephanie Marie Fazenbaker

Nickname(s): Steph, Jellybean, Gunther, Suzy, Dob
Birth date: October 9, 1987
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Being with Nick, playing my PS2, listening to music, and working at the Wisp Resort
Future Plans: Marrying the love of my life, Nick, and raising a family with him
Most Memorable Moment: When Nick proposed to me and then transferred schools just to be with me
Advice to Underclassmen: Even though school is tough, don't drop out. Keep going.

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Katie Lynn Fike

Nickname(s): Kate, Katiegirl
Birth date: March 7, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Hanging out with friends
Future Plans: Go on to school and become an OB nurse, make lots of money, have a family, and marry the man of my dreams
Most Memorable Moment: All the good times I had with my friends!
Advice to Underclassmen: Have fun and enjoy school. It goes by way too fast!

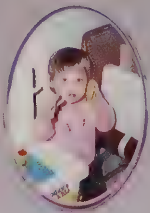
Katie Fike

Ryan William Finzel

Nickname(s): Finzel
Birth date: September 25, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Baseball, watching sports, hunting, fishing, and hanging out with my friends
Future Plans: Go to Garrett for 2 years then transfer to WVU and get my degree, then I am going to continue school until I get my M.D. and someday work in medicine.
Most Memorable Moment: Lighting my hand on fire in A.P. Chemistry and going to states for baseball
Advice to Underclassmen: Live life to the fullest! No regrets!

Roland Robert Fisher III

Nickname(s): Bubba, Bugs
Birth date: March 8, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Playing basketball and being on the track team, The Boy Scouts of America, the Order of the Arrow, skiing, demolition derby, and hanging out with my friends and family
Future Plans: Go to college and further my education in computer technology
Most Memorable Moment: The basketball game at Southern during my junior year. The energy in the gymnasium that night was unbelievable, along with the fans chanting my name. It was incredible.
Advice to Underclassmen: Ignore what others are saying about you and just be yourself. Live life to the fullest and enjoy your years in high school because it goes by fast.



Kasie Nicole Fratz

Nickname(s): Fratzy
Birth date: March 5, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Basketball, softball, Best Buddies, vice president of Girls' Varsity, DPG, vacation, and hanging out with my friends and family
Future Plans: To attend college and become a dental hygienist
Most Memorable Moment: Beating Beall in softball for the first time my junior year
Advice to Underclassmen: Live every day like it is your last.

Kasie Fratz

Evan Matthew Frazee

Nickname(s): Frazee-Fraz, Ev
Birth date: April 5, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Skiing, skateboarding, hanging out with friends, and music
Future Plans: Go to college and become a teacher
Most Memorable Moment: Field trips with Ms. Nice
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't be afraid to ask questions, and don't be afraid of Mr. Stough.

Evan Frazee

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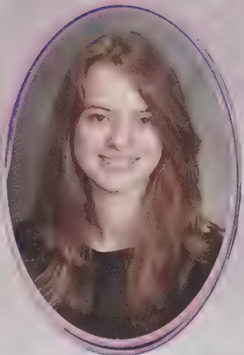
Leah Marie Frazee

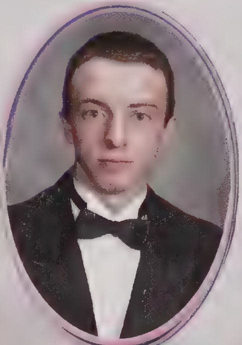
Nickname(s): Weah, Lug, Lisa
Birth date: October 15, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Painting, swimming, softball, reading, acting in productions at Old Town Theater, hanging out with friends, and making movies
Future Plans: Go to college, share my life with the man I'll love forever, travel the world, and have no regrets.
Most Memorable Moment: Kasondra and Megan's pants falling down during jailbreak, Jamie's parties, Goo Goo Dolls concert with Amy, all the times with Katy, getting 2 dozen roses from Steph on my birthday, and every great softball season- Italian Stallion!
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't get stuck in the small town life and drama because there is so much more out there! Just do what you love and forget the rest.



Bradley Ervin Friend II

Nickname(s): Bugsy
Birth date: April 13, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Farming, riding four wheelers, hunting, fishing, mudding, and hanging out with my friends
Future Plans: Get married, have fun, and lay pipe all day
Advice to Underclassmen: Pick on Mr. Roth, do your work, and if it don't work hit it with a hammer.

Bradley Friend II



Steven Allen Friend

Nickname(s): Turbo
Birth date: June 6, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Moutain biking, rock climbing, and rafting
Future Plans: Go in the Army
Advice to Underclassmen: Pay attention in class.

Steven Allen Funk

Nickname(s): Funk
Birth date: April 20, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football, golf, shopping, and chilling
Future Plans: [Go to] college, be a successful person, and [have a] family
Most Memorable Moment: Eighth grade football
Advice to Underclassmen: Take school seriously and have fun.

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Andrew Ernest Ganoe

Nickname(s): Schmo, Ganoe, Ganono
Birth date: Apirl 2, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Wrestling, hunting, four wheeling and dirt bike riding, Lettermen's Club, FFA, and pulling tractors
Future Plans: Go to GC, then transfer to a four-year college to major in physical therapy
Most Memorable Moment: On 10/14/05, a Friday night at FSU, when I blew out my knee playing football and underwent a 10 hour knee surgery at UPMC
Advice to Underclassmen: To do it right and never hold anything back.

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Jon Paul Garlitz

Nickname(s): Jonny Blaze, Bio-Jon
Birth date: June 30, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Body Modifications, BMX, music, cars, and custom car work
Future Plans: Work in the I-tech or auto mechanics industry
Most Memorable Moment: Being in Mr. Stough's class
Advice to Underclassmen: Call Mr. Stough a STUD.

Jon Garlitz

Kory Alan Gibson

Nickname(s): KG, Gibson, G
Birth date: February 5, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Basketball, basketball, and some more basketball
Future Plans: Go to a Division I college and play basketball. Then continue playing and go as far as I possibly can with it.
Most Memorable Moment: Playing basketball
Advice to Underclassmen: If you want to be a success, then don't always do what everyone else does because it is cool. Do what is going to get you where you want to be.

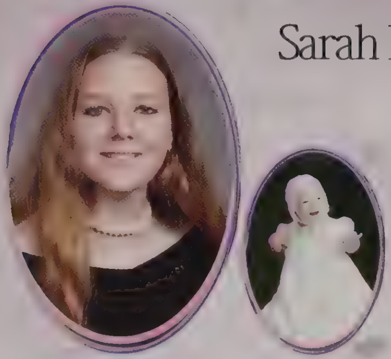
Gesse Warren Glotfelty

Nickname(s): Geese
Birth date: July 12, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football and motorcycles
Future Plans: Take it one day at a time and see where I end up.
Advice to Underclassmen: Take it easy.

Ashton Michelle Graham

Nickname(s): Ash
Birth date: February 12, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Soccer, student council for 3 years, yearbook, and spending time with friends
Future Plans: Go to Frostburg State University and possibly major in English
Most Memorable Moment: My junior year in soccer, we went 8 and 3; it was our best season. Going to NYC with Ms. Nice and Katie. Getting pizza delivered to the school on the last day of my junior year.
Advice to Underclassmen: Have as much fun with your friends as you can. Don't waste your time sitting at home. Life goes by too fast.

Ashton Graham



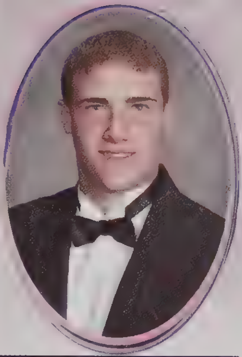
Sarah Elizabeth Griffin

Nickname(s): Bunny, Lady
Birth date: March 20, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Color guard, working, band, and chorus
Future Plans: I plan to take advantage of my two free years at Garrett and then attend college at Towson. I will study Human Services.
Most Memorable Moment: My most memorable moment was on the spring marching band trip my junior year when we sang all the way to Atlanta!
Advice to Underclassmen: If you join an extracurricular activity, stick with it because good times fly.

Garrett Mitchell Gulledge

Nickname(s): Nut
Birth date: February 13, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football, basketball, and hanging out with friends
Future Plans: Graduate and go to a 4 year college
Most Memorable Moment: My junior year in football when we beat Southern
Advice to Underclassmen: Do what you want to do, not what other people want you to do.

Garrett Gulledge



Mitchell Dehaven Hall

Nickname(s): Mitch, Caveman
Birth date: October 19, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Soccer, kayaking, and skiing
Future Plans: Go to college
Most Memorable Moment: Soccer season and track season
Advice to Underclassmen: You can't win 'em all.

Robert Lynn Harding

Nickname(s): Rob, Robbie
Birth date: March 3, 1988
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Fishing, hunting, 4 wheeling, and dirt bikes
Future Plans: Carpentry
Most Memorable Moment: When I got my driver's license
Advice to Underclassmen: Enjoy your school years.

Robert Harding

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Tyler Eugene Harding

Nickname(s): Ty, Hardrock
Birth date: May 19, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Racing
Future Plans: Hunting guide
Most Memorable Moment: Mrs. Derlan calling my dad in the middle of class
Advice to Underclassmen: Pass English!!

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Adam Scott Hoover

Nickname(s): Bud
Birth date: December 6, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Hunting, fishing
Future Plans: Auto mechanics
Most Memorable Moment: When I shot my first deer

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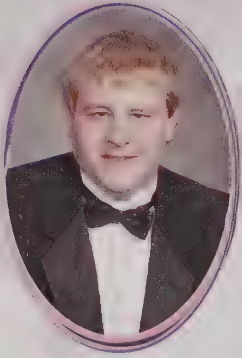

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Meggan Elizabeth Humberson

Nickname(s): Meg, Mugs
Birth date: April 11, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Hanging out with friends and riding a 4-wheeler with my boyfriend
Future Plans: Go to college, get a great job, make lots of money, get married, and start a family
Most Memorable Moment: All the great times I have had with my friends
Advice to Underclassmen: Do your best, be who you wanna be. High school goes so fast so make the best out of it. JUST HAVE FUN!!

Meggan Humberson ♡

Stephen Dane Hyson

Nickname(s): Hyson
Birth date: April 22, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Cars, music, football, and art
Future Plans: [Go to] college, and soon after I graduate, open my own shop restoring old cars and make new ones go faster!
Most Memorable Moment: 3 years of automotive class
Advice to Underclassmen: Live fast, party hard!

Andrew William Joslin

Nickname(s): Joslin
Birth date: October 16, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Golfing, skiing, and camping
Future Plans: Go to school in Colorado for forest firefighting
Most Memorable Moment: Too many just to name one
Advice to Underclassmen: Turn your work in on time.

Andrew Joslin

Kory Austin Kamp

Nickname(s): Kamp
Birth date: April 16, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football, wrestling, dirtbikes, hunting, Letterman's Club, and hanging out with my friends
Future Plans: Get a good job and stay in Garrett County for the rest of my life
Most Memorable Moment: Beating Southern 3 times and going to states
Advice to Underclassmen: Have as much fun as possible because it really does go faster than you think.

Megan Nicole Kamp

Nickname(s): Megs
Birth date: October 3, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: 4-wheeler riding, hanging out with friends, and going on vacation
Future Plans: Go to college and become an RN
Most Memorable Moment: When I passed my GNA test
Advice to Underclassmen: Never take a day for granted, 'cause the years go by faster than what you think.

Megan Kamp

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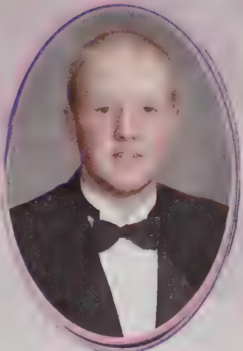
Ronald Ellsworth Keister Jr.

Nickname(s): Ronnie
Birth date: November 28, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Farming, riding four wheelers, and trucks
Future Plans: Logger/farmer or a machinist, whichever makes the most money
Most Memorable Moment: First day of my senior year
Advice to Underclassmen: Get in and out as soon as possible.

Ronnie Keister



Katherine Michelle Kelly

Nickname(s): Katie, Tater, Tay, Kato, KK
Birth date: October 2, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Cheerleading, Mock Trial, WMTS, and Electric Car Team
Future Plans: Go to law school, after college. Then pursue a career in family law. I want to eventually get married and possibly have children.
Most Memorable Moment: Getting asked to [my] junior prom at Model UN by Elijah Lais, dyeing Mrs. Ellis's hair on the last day of school, meeting Ashley Parker Angel in NYC, and all the fantastic times that I have with my friends.
Advice to Underclassmen: Keep good hygiene! Good hygiene = friends Deo = NO B.O.

Katherine M Kelly

Ashley Nicole Kinzey

Birth date: November 4, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Cheerleading
Future Plans: After I graduate high school, I want to go to college and become a pediatrician and have a happy family.
Most Memorable Moment: My most memorable moment was going to Atlantic City for cheerleading my sophomore year and getting stuck there because of a snowstorm.
Advice to Underclassmen: Have fun while you can. These four years go by faster than you think.

Jaimee Nichole Kitzmiller

Birth date: March 9, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Babysitting
Future Plans: Go to Garrett College and major in child care
Most Memorable Moment: Graduating
Advice to Underclassmen: Have fun and enjoy your high school years because they go by fast.

Elijah Steven Lais

Nickname(s): Lij
Birth date: July 4, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Soccer, cross country, track, basketball, and youth group
Future Plans: Go to college and major in physical therapy
Most Memorable Moment: Beating Beall 2-1 my sophomore year in soccer and getting second at states for cross country
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't miss an AP test!

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Angela Dawn Lamastus

Nickname(s): Angie, Angel
Birth date: August 12, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Painting, singing, and playing softball
Future Plans: To go to cosmotology school
Most Memorable Moment: Going the the movies with MT III
Advice to Underclassmen: Enjoy high school while it lasts because it flies by fast.

Amy Alyssa Lander

Nickname(s): Amy L
Birth date: August 17, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Soccer, tennis, skiing.
Future Plans: Find a good teaching college, get a Masters in Elementary Education, then proceed to corrupt the minds of the youth of America.
Most Memorable Moment: Beating Mt. Ridge 2-1 in soccer and heading to states for the first time in school history
Advice to Underclassmen: Eventually all the pieces will fall into place, until then? Laugh at the confusion, live for the moment and know that everything happens for a reason.

Jeffery Scott Lowdermilk

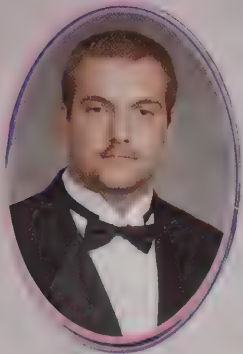
Birth date: July 17, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Hunting and fishing
Future Plans: Get out of school and get a job

Jeffery scott Lowdermilk

Megan Lynn Margroff

Nickname(s): Meg, Megz, Meggy
Birth date: March 28, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Cheerleading and gymnastics
Future Plans: Go to college, become a pediatric nurse, someday get married to the man on my dreams, and start a family
Most Memorable Moment: All of my friends and I dressing up in ridiculous costumes and "spooning" Mr. Opel's yard at 3 a.m.
Advice to Underclassmen: Take pride in how far you've come. Have faith in how far you can go.

Megan Margroff



Matthew Scott Mason

Nickname(s): Mason, Mase
Birth date: January 7, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football and Lettermen
Future Plans: Go to college
Most Memorable Moment: Beating Southern 5 years in a row
Advice to Underclassmen: Have fun in high school.

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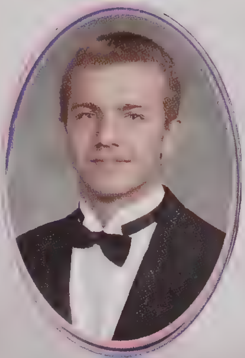
Sean Thomas Mastej

Nickname(s): Master-J, The Master of the J's
Birth date: February 27, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Art and kayaking
Future Plans: [Take] lots of road trips
Most Memorable Moment: The day I was nominated to be the school's artisan
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't do drugs and stay in school.

Tyler James Masters

Nickname(s): Masters
Birth date: July 12, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football
Future Plans: Electronics
Most Memorable Moment: Hanging out with my friends on the weekends
Advice to Underclassmen: Have fun and [have] no regrets



Carrie Danielle Maust

Nickname(s): Care Bear
Birth date: April 25, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Youth group, hiking, and camping
Future Plans: Go to college to become a high school math teacher
Most Memorable Moment: All the times with my friends
Advice to Underclassmen: Be the change you want to see around you and always stand up for what you believe in.

Toby John Maust

Nickname(s): Mr. Awesome
Birth date: August 16, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Riding four wheelers and [playing] video games
Future Plans: Become a cop
Most Memorable Moment: Mr. Opel's '06-07 fourth period Government class
Advice to Underclassmen: Have as much fun as you can.

Zackery James McCrobie

Nickname(s): Jimbob, Bud, Horse Jr.
Birth date: March 2, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular:
Future Plans: Cutting timber, farming, and coal mines
Most Memorable Moment:
Advice to Underclassmen: Life owes you nothing but a living and you have to get off your butt and earn it. If you work hard and honest for everything you have and achieve, then no man can tell you that you didn't earn it.

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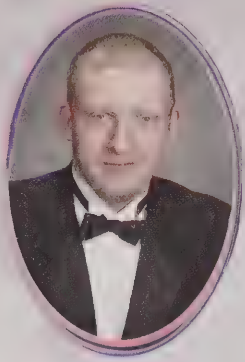

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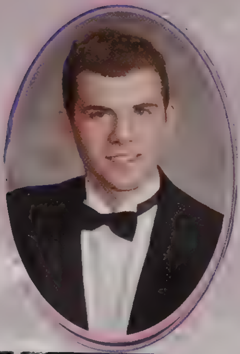

Anthony Robert Messina

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Nickname(s): Tony the tiger
Birth date: May 10, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Playing guitar, art, martial arts, and Guitar Hero II
Future Plans: Join State Police at 32 and maybe SWAT one day
Most Memorable Moment: At a band show we fit 38 people into a van.
Advice to Underclassmen: Hugs are good.

John Fredrick Meyers Jr.

Birth date: March 8, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Tae Kwan Do, PS II, and just chillin'
Future Plans: Either enter the UFC, become a professional boxer, or live a simple life being the instructor in my own Tae Kwan Do Dojo
Most Memorable Moment: The Saturday I won first place in Essex, when I entered a Tae Kwan Do tournament
Advice to Underclassmen: Fall into no category, behold in no boundaries.

Adam Christopher Miller

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Nickname(s): Beav, Beaver, The Beave
Birth date: July 25, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football, farming, hunting, and working
Future Plans: Work
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't play football.

Adam Miller

Andrea Kay Miller

Nickname(s): Andi
Birth date: February 12, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Cheerleading, softball, secretary of Girl's Varsity, dance captain, reading, writing, DPG, and hanging out with the girls
Future Plans: Go to college, find a job that I enjoy, and make good money! Maybe meet the man of my dreams if I haven't already, get married, have kids, and get through by loving life.
Most Memorable Moment: Here's to my girls who wore Stein Construction hats at the corner store! Here's to the squad who won 3rd in states and went to nationals. Mr. Price's class and to all my girls who made high school fun and crazy...including the Italian Stallion.
Advice to Underclassmen: Be real! Don't worry about people who look down on you and the petty things in school. Find and love who you are and embrace the people who love you for you. Be open with the people you love and even more with the ones you don't. Live it up and enjoy high school because it goes fast. Make sure you make the memories and don't regret.

Jasmine Rae Miner

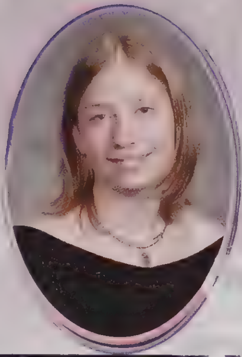
Nickname(s): Jas-mine, Shaniqua
Birth date: December 15, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Coonhunting, deerhunting, and hanging out with friends
Future Plans: To quit Mickey D's and move up in the world! Hopefully go to college, get a good job and start a family
Most Memorable Moment: All the good times in Mr. Deal's class, who I will dearly miss!
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't worry about what other people think. Just get through school however you like, and live life to the fullest! Don't forget to party hard!

Jasmine R Miner!

Rhiannon Marye Moon

Nickname(s): Rae, Moon, Sharaerae, Chatty Kathy
Birth date: October 12, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Reading, writing, crossword puzzles, celebrity ciphers, and talking
Future Plans: Go to college, get married, maybe start a family with my own prince charming, oh yeah, and have a really good job as a photographer
Most Memorable Moment: My sophomore year (my first year at Northern) in biology, I purposefully put my finger in a mousetrap to prove to the class that I could do it and I would do it.
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't change yourself to make others like you. Once you start changing, you forget who you really are.

Rhiannon Moon



Nathan Eugene Nugent

Nickname(s): Ted
Birth date: September 23, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Hunting, fishing, and riding my wheeler
Future Plans: Work for state highway or county roads department driving trucks
Most Memorable Moment: Rolling a pick-up with my friend after school
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't do drugs.

Nathan Nugent

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Anita Beth Opel

Nickname(s): Aleena
Birth date: October 20, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Reading, writing, photography, traveling, Envirothon, volleyball statictian, newspaper
Future Plans: I would like to go away to a Mennonite College and get a degree in youth ministry, as well as work with computers.
Most Memorable Moment: Being in the talent show with some of my friends, and doing an intense drama of Jesus Christ's saving grace. It was my ninth grade year, so it made an impression.
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't hold back from letting people know who you are. Be an individual and go against the flow.

Anita Opel

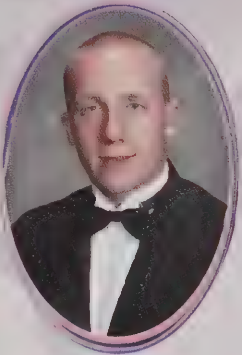
Nicole Elizabeth Opel

Nickname(s): Cole, Kanole, Nina
Birth date: January 22, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Volleyball, Envirothon, church activities, National Honor Society, youth group, and puppet team
Future Plans: Not sure
Advice to Underclassmen: Get all the advice you can and you will succeed, without it you will fail.

Nicole Opel

John Donner Owens

Nickname(s): Jonathan
Birth date: December 25, 1988
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: JROTC, drawing, writing, playing guitar, skateboarding, snowboarding, and biking
Future Plans: Attend McDaniel College and graduate ROTC as a second Lieutenant. Then enlist into the Army for 20 years and complete pilot school.
Most Memorable Moment: The first day I came to this school
Advice to Underclassmen: Never give up.



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Dustin Adam Platter

Nickname(s): D
Birth date: October 25, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Basketball, music, and cooking
Future Plans: I plan on graduating high school and going on to attend the Culinary Institute of America in upstate New York.
Most Memorable Moment: Her, and everything about her
Advice to Underclassmen: Get what you want, and do whatever it takes.

Ainsley Michelle Raley

Birth date: June 18, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Biking and National Honor Society
Future Plans: To go to college and get a good job in the medical field
Most Memorable Moment: The fun activities my friends and I did in Chemistry at the end of my junior year
Advice to Underclassmen: Follow your dreams; strive for your best . . . your success is yet to come.

Jamie Leigh Rayner

Nickname(s): Jame
Birth date: January 17, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Riding four wheelers, fishing and hanging out with my friends
Future Plans: My future plans include going to college and getting a good job. I also plan to have a family and as many animals as I can.
Most Memorable Moment: My most memorable moment is when I wrecked my mom's Jeep my junior year.
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't speed on the interstate, and stay out of Mr. Maddy's office.

Jamie L. Rayner

Micheal George Reed

Nickname(s): Mikey
Birth date: January 15, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Fishing, football, Tae Kwan Do, and riding dirt bikes
Future Plans: Go to Japan and do Tae Kwan Do and learn to build homes
Most Memorable Moment: [I went to the] Great Adventure Park.

Micheal Reed

Zachary Wayne Rogers

Nickname(s): Zach
Birth date: May 30, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football, riding a four wheeler, and dirt bikes
Future Plans: Go to Garrett College and then find a job around here
Most Memorable Moment: Mr. Kirchner's class
Advice to Underclassmen: Stay in school.

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Justin Allen Rosenberger

Nickname(s): Rosey
Birth date: May 4, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football, baseball, and skiing
Future Plans: Go to the University of Maryland, major in marine biology to become a marine biologist, and make lots of money
Most Memorable Moment: Going to the state championship in baseball my junior year. It was awesome!
Advice to Underclassmen: Make the best of it! You only go to high school once. Have fun!

Justin Rosenberger

Emily Kathleen Rosser

Nickname(s): Beatle
Birth date: February 9, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Track, first Robotics Team 1629, National Honor Society, Girl Scouts, skiing, snowboarding, reading, and camping
Future Plans: A little number they like to call "COLLEGE", then who knows where? My life goals are to see AC/DC live and learn to walk on my hands.
Most Memorable Moment: End-of-the-year Scrabble tournaments with Mrs. Wilt
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't categorize, and don't be categorized. Don't listen to anybody's advice.

Emily K. Rosser

Adam Thomas Rounds

Birth date: November 21, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Lay pipe
Future Plans: [To be a] welder
Most Memorable Moment: Machine tool class
Advice to Underclassmen: Stay in school.

Adam Rounds

Ruthie Ann Rounds

Nickname(s): Rosie
Birth date: October 31, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Hanging out with friends
Future Plans: Move far away from Maryland
Most Memorable Moment: Getting pregnant my senior year

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Abbey Noelle Rugola

Nickname(s): Abbs, Aba Dab, Abbster
Birth date: December 6, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Photography, traveling, shopping, scrapbooking, hockey, and Envirothon
Future Plans: Attend a college in Pittsburgh, major in physical therapy, marry Sidney Crosby, and retire in Nova Scotia, Canada
Most Memorable Moment: Going on the business trip with Ms. Nice, Ms. Nice's field trips to see the turtles, and attending a Pittsburgh Penguin playoff hockey game. GO PENS!!
Advice to Underclassmen: Anything worth having is worth fighting for.

Abbey Rugola

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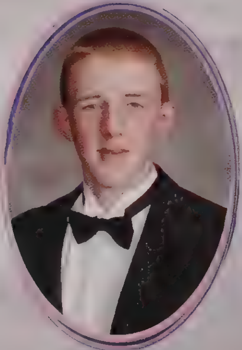
Katy Lynnette Savage

Birth date: June 24. 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Color guard, art, and friends
Future Plans: Go to college and live my life
Most Memorable Moment: Band . . . need I say more?
Advice to Underclassmen: Catch your dreams before they slip away.



Ward Scott Savage

Birth date: August 31, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Playing music and fighting fire
Future Plans: Work
Advice to Underclassmen: Run away, run far away.

Ward Scott Savage

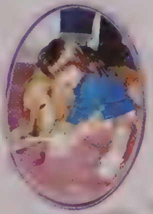
Ryan William Seaman

Nickname(s): Seaman
Birth date: January 29, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football and drawing
Future Plans: Move to the city
Most Memorable Moment: Decorating Stough's door
Advice to Underclassmen: Live it up now because high school goes fast.

Alexis Anne Shannon

Nickname(s): Lex, Lexi
Birth date: August 25, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Color guard, singing, hanging out with friends, lounging in front of the television, etc.
Future Plans: Go to GC for 2 years, transfer to a 4 year college, and get a good job
Most Memorable Moment: Hanging out with my friends at band practice
Advice to Underclassmen: Be nothing other than yourself, and don't eat school food.

Alexis Shannon



Stephanie Michelle Shapiro

Nickname(s): Shapiro, Steph
Birth date: August 29, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Yearbook editor, shopping, hanging out with my friends, and WVU football. GO MOUTAINEERS!!
Future Plans: Go to college, become a math teacher, get married to the man of my dreams, and start a family
Most Memorable Moment: Going to college my senior year and meeting a lot of new people
Advice to Underclassmen: Make the best out of your four years. They fly by fast! Also, don't get caught up in everyone else's drama; it's not worth it. Just remember, "Great minds talk about ideas, average minds talk about events, and only small minds talk about other people!"

Benjamin Edward Sharp

Birth date: June 9, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Dirt bike riding, racing, hunting, hanging out, and starting fights
Future Plans: Motorcycle mechanic, logger
Most Memorable Moment: Hitting a deer on Travis Patton's 450R on my birthday and spending a week in the hospital
Advice to Underclassmen: Hurry up but take your time.

Abby Elizabeth Sherrard

Birth date: July 18, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Soccer, Mock Trial, softball, newspaper, Girls' Varsity, and Honor Society
Future Plans: Go to college to be a vet, get married, and live happily ever after
Most Memorable Moment: When Ashton tried to ride my pogo stick!
Advice to Underclassmen: Go all out your senior year because you will never forget it!

Michael Allen Shiflett

Birth date: June 16, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Fixing stereos. computers, game sysems, and TVs
Future Plans: [Go into the] Marine Corps

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Harry Bart Shoemaker

Nickname(s): Shoe, Haweee
Birth date: October 11, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Basketball, running 46 miles a day, drawing, music, friends, Lacie, and annoying Mr. Stough
Most Memorable Moment: Laughing nonstop for 25 minutes in Mr. Kolbe's room, and the time Mr. Stough said, "Hawee! Wat yoo do? Now I'm all wet" and he chased me across the room
Advice to Underclassmen: Make sure you have fun no matter what it takes. Don't worry about your image, be as crazy as you possibly can.

Blair Ford Silbaugh

Nickname(s): Superman
Birth date: March 23, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Playing football and going hunting
Future Plans: To graduate from high school my first time around
Most Memorable Moment: When our football team beat Southern 5 years in a row
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't give up and stick with it, it's not that bad.

Blair Silbaugh

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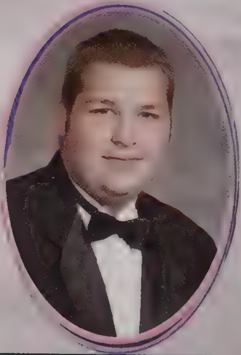
Matthew Roosevelt Sisler

Nickname(s): Ace
Birth date: December 11, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Baseball and skiing
Future Plans: Go to college and play baseball
Most Memorable Moment: Junior year of baseball, pitching in the state championship at Cal Ripken Stadium!
Advice to Underclassmen: Have fun!



Eric Travis Smetzer

Birth date: September 7, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Listening to music
Future Plans: To move to Greenville, North Carolina
Advice to Underclassmen: Stay in school.

Eric Smetzer

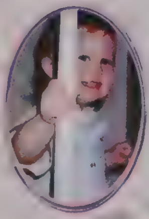
Daniel Lee Smith

Nickname(s): Dan
Birth date: December 8, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Gymnastics, martial arts, and free running
Future Plans: Travel, go to college, and practice Holistic Medicine (natural cures and herbal therapy)
Most Memorable Moment: Winning 1st place in the Delaware martial arts tournament
Advice to Underclassmen: Never take anything too seriously and you will always be at ease.

Daniel Smith

Jeffrey Scott Smith

Nickname(s): Jeff, Smitty
Birth date: January 6, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Golf, basketball, baseball, Letterman's Club, and hunting
Future Plans: Be successful in whatever I do
Most Memorable Moment: Going to Cal Ripken Stadium to play in the state [baseball] championship
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't believe everything you hear.



Christofer James Spiker

Nickname(s): Spike
Birth date: March 7, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Band and martial arts
Future Plans: If I get lucky, I'll get famous as a drummer in my band. If not, I want to teach martial arts and get married and have a family.
Most Memorable Moment: My first field show in band. I was so nervous all the way there, and right before we went on the field I heard the crowd, which got me so nervous. I could barely walk, but as soon as I started the show, I felt on top of the world.
Advice to Underclassmen: Do anything you can for the people around you. You never know when you'll need them to do something for you.

Robert Clarence Stanley III

Birth date: April 20, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football, basketball, and baseball
Future Plans: [Go to] college and own a HVAC company
Most Memorable Moment: Freshman year, at Linganore High School, catching the game-winning touchdown pass to beat Westminster
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't move after your junior year.

Brittany Nicole Stein

Nickname(s): Brit, Superman
Birth date: October 4, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Soccer co-captain, basketball, track, Girl's Varsity Club, National Honor Society, yearbook, hanging out with friends, and DPG
Future Plans: Go to college, get a degree in Physical Therapy, get married sometime, and raise a family
Most Memorable Moment: When our girls' soccer team made it to states for the first time and our last homecoming when it was just seniors on the dance floor singing and dancing to "We're Not Gonna Take It."
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't take life too seriously. Live every day to the fullest and don't have any regrets!

Brittany Stein

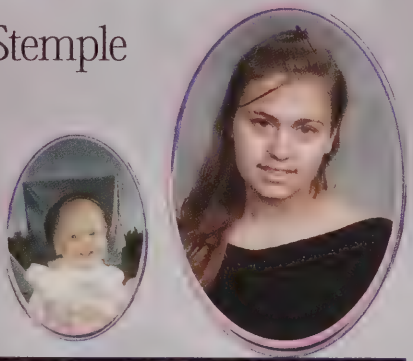
Cortney Shae Stein

Nickname(s): Cort
Birth date: June 25, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Hunting, fishing, and four wheeler riding
Future Plans: Become an RN, move, get married sometime down the road, and raise a family
Most Memorable Moment: My whole senior year!
Advice to Underclassmen: Do your work! Get good grades and have fun your senior year!

Cortney Stein

Samantha Jo Stemple

Nickname(s): Buddha
Birth date: November 29, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Band and art
Future Plans: Go to college and get a good-paying job
Most Memorable Moment: Joining band and getting to hang out with my friends at practice
Advice to Underclassmen: Always strive to achieve your dreams and goals in life.



Jessie Tyler Storey

Nickname(s): Poof, Poof Lightning
Birth date: December 14, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Skiing and playing guitar in a band
Future Plans: Go to Visible Music School in Memphis, Tennessee or Montana State University
Most Memorable Moment: Making hydrogen and massive smoke bombs in Chemistry, and then blowing 'em up. It was a good ol' time even though I didn't pass the A.P. test.
Advice to Underclassmen: Have a good time and don't look back, and remember to keep it metal y'all.

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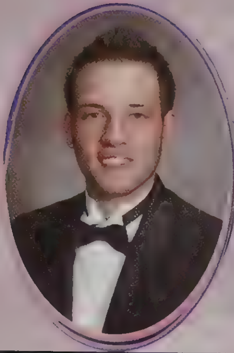

Cory Paul Stout

Nickname(s): Stout
Birth date: May 21, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Boating and partying
Future Plans: [To be an] electrical engineer, have fun, and go to college
Most Memorable Moment: Electronics class
Advice to Underclassmen: "Just do it."

Cory Stout

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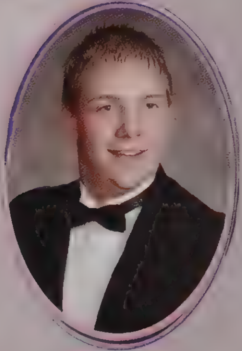
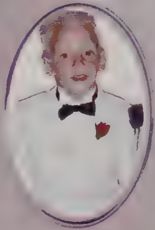
Jacob James Taylor

Nickname(s): Jake the Snake
Birth date: December 6, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Music and lots of women
Future Plans: To die
Most Memorable Moment: Graduation





Steven Michael Taylor

Nickname(s): Monster, DOI, Tator, Tatre
Birth date: March 23, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football, Lettermen's Club, track (shot put), weight training, D.P.G., and partying
Future Plans: Go to the Air Force immediately after graduating
Most Memorable Moment: Too many to count: football and electronics
Advice to Underclassmen: Live it up while it lasts; make plenty of mistakes, you'll learn from them all.

Steven M. Taylor

Susan Alice Thatcher

Nickname(s): Susie, Suz
Birth date: November 8, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Soccer, snowboarding, shopping, partying, and hanging out with friends
Future Plans: Attend college, become a speech therapist, marry Mr. Wonderful, and live right in good old Garrett County.
Most Memorable Moment: Scoring a hat trick against Southern and initiating the freshmen in soccer by parading them around Grantsville in goofy costumes.
Advice to Underclassmen: Do all your homework the night before, and get on Mr. Nicklin's good side. Attempt to join chess club.

Zachary Charles Trautwein

Nickname(s): Traut
Birth date: August 19, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Soccer, tennis, and skiing
Future Plans: [To] be an architect
Most Memorable Moment: Beating Mountain Ridge in soccer at home
Advice to Underclassmen: Concentrate hard but have fun.

Cory Scott Tressler

Nickname(s): Corn Dog, Corn Flake
Birth date: December 27, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Tae Kwan Do
Future Plans: To win the Olympics in Tae Kwan Do, go to college for automotive, and open my own shop
Most Memorable Moment: Hanging out with my friends
Advice to Underclassmen: Have fun and live to the fullest.

Cory Tressler

Joey Lee Uphold

Birth date: November 1, 1986
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Listening to music and playing on the computer

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Shawn Russell Uphold

Nickname(s): Buck
Birth date: February 9, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Riding my 4-wheelers and working on my truck
Future Plans: Driving big machinery and 18 wheelers
Most Memorable Moment: When I pulled my truck at the Meyersdale Fair
Advice to Underclassmen: School will push you but you have to push back and you will make it.

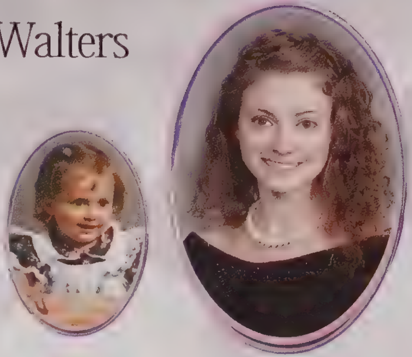
Shawn Uphold

Sarah Anne Voelkel

Nickname(s): Sarie, Sav, Nugget, Sarah Maria
Birth date: January 6, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Soccer, basketball, track, Girl's Varsity, National Honor Society, and newspaper
Future Plans: Go to college somewhere down East, get a good job, and raise a family
Most Memorable Moment: Tent buddies, kick the can at Hanna's, breaking down with Susan on the way to LaVale, Akon concert, getting co-champions of the area in soccer last year
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't think about what you've done, think about what you can do.

Hannah Elizabeth Walters

Birth date: April 15, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Dance, ballet, reading, painting, drawing, swimming, color guard, singing, and theater
Future Plans: My future is in God's hands, he gave me a gift to dance. I am going to attend a four-year college to earn my degree in dance therapy. I plan to dance the rest of my life for God.
Most Memorable Moment: My first year here, the school had a talent show. I wanted to dance. I choreographed my own song and I danced at the talent show. When I danced everybody got real quiet and afterwards I was acknowledged and praised. That was the greatest moment.
Advice to Underclassmen: "If you can imagine it, you can achieve it. If you can dream it, you can become it." -William Arthur Ward



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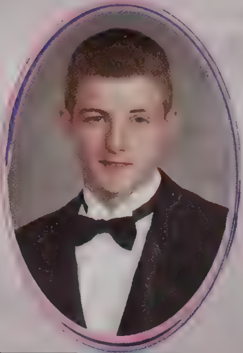
David Allen Warnick

Nickname(s): Dave
Birth date: May 30, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Football, baseball, basketball, hunting, and fishing
Future Plans: Go to a state college



Jason Allen Warnick

Nickname(s): Weeman
Birth date: April 7, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Farming, riding four wheelers, and wrestling
Future Plans: Farming and make a good living
Most Memorable Moment: When the wrestling team beat Southern
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't drink and drive.

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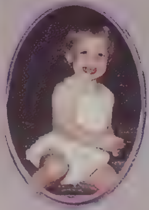
Kenny Ray Weaver

Nickname(s): Ken, Weave, Weavo
Birth date: April 6, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Watching wrestling, video games, and fighting
Future Plans: I plan to go to GC and study to become a biologist.
Most Memorable Moment: When the weight training class came over to my gym class and played volleyball and basketball with us for my freshman year. The weight training class was almost all seniors.
Advice to Underclassmen: Four years go by very fast, so cherish every part of it.



Cassandra Clark White

Nickname(s): Cassie
Birth date: March 1, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Partying, I love Chitown
Future Plans: [For] college [go to] art school in Chicago
Most Memorable Moment: Getting out of here!
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't go to Northern.

Cheyanne Michelle Whittaker

Nickname(s): Chey, Fussy, Kitkat
Birth date: June 6, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Yearbook and newspaper
Future Plans: To become a singer or become a social worker
Most Memorable Moment: When I was in 9th grade and my brother Kent Parks was a senior and Ms. Harman [would say], "Hi Kent's sister" every time I saw her.
Advice to Underclassmen: It doesn't matter what anybody says, just be yourself.

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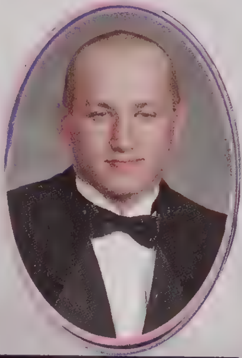
Aaron Dean Wilburn

Birth date: June 20, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Hunting, fishing, four wheeler riding, and mud bogs
Future Plans: Either go to school for two years for diesel mechanics or work and eventually build my own house
Most Memorable Moment: Building the house in carpentry
Advice to Underclassmen: Do your work on time so you can pass.

Jason Dwayne Wilburn

Birth date: July 11, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: I like going with my friend to the military base and talking with them and I like four wheeling.
Future Plans: I am going to try to go in the military.
Most Memorable Moment: The first time I got to drive my girlfriend home because I could drive
Advice to Underclassmen: Just keep it cool, and it will make your years a lot faster.



Tricia Leigh Wiley

Nickname(s): Trish, Trish the Dish, Wiles
Birth date: June 20, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Basketball, FFA, barrel racing, horseback riding, riding 4-wheelers, hunting, and fishing
Future Plans: Go to Garrett for 2 years, then move out west and attend rodeo college. Then find the right man and have a happy family.
Most Memorable Moment: Coming to the high school, rides home from basketball, FFA trips, prom, hanging out with friends. There's really too many to mention, no one moment sticks out.
Advice to Underclassmen: Live every day like it's your last!

Ashley Dawn Wilhelm

Nickname(s): My dad calls me Taz.
Birth date: April 29, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: I like riding 4-wheelers, playing softball, and hanging out with my awesome friends.
Future Plans: Someday, I would like to become a physical therapist or a massage therapist. I will be getting my GNA's this year.
Most Memorable Moment: My most memorable moment was playing with the softball chicks and winning the game ball at Ft. Hill my junior year.
Advice to Underclassmen: Enjoy high school while you're still here for high school. The days go faster than you think.

Ashley Wilhelm

Kelli Dawn Wilhelm

Nickname(s): Killer Keller
Birth date: May 29, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Newspaper, National Honor Society, reading, and watching old movies
Future Plans: Marry my high school sweetheart , stay together forever, and have a million kids! Now seriously, go to college and be happy.
Most Memorable Moment: The back table in chemistry and running into the sign
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't ever give up.

Kelli D Wilhelm

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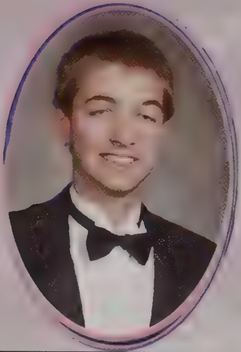
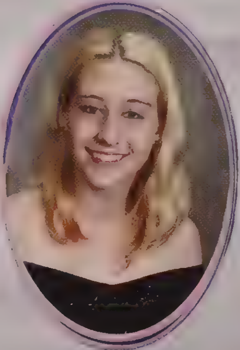


Brian Wayne Williams

Nickname(s): Burnout
Birth date: November 23, 1989
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Hanging out with Kaitlin Walker, four wheelers, snowboarding, and soccer
Future Plans: Go to college, own my own business, get married to the love of my life, travel, and have fun in life
Most Memorable Moment: Too many to say
Advice to Underclassmen: Have fun while you still can and make the most of your time in school.



Andraya Nichole Wilt

Nickname(s): Andie, Honey
Birth date: May 3, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Being a mom
Future Plans: I plan to go to college to be a massage therapist, get married to the love of my life, Ryan Winebrenner, and raise our twins the best I can!
Most Memorable Moment: Oct. 31, 2006, I found out I was pregnant, and a month later I found out it was twins! Also, June 4, 2007, when I gave birth to 2 healthy, 5lbs. boys! Michael was born at 4:48 p.m. and weighed 5lbs. 9oz. and Matthew was born at 4:49 p.m. and weighed 5lbs. 11oz.
Advice to Underclassmen: Trust God! He can help you through any situation!

Ariana Yvonne Wilt

Nickname(s): Anna
Birth date: July 31, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Cheerleading
Future Plans: To go to college, become a physical therapist, have lots of money and marry the man of my dreams
Most Memorable Moment: Running through a storm to the house with Kayla and almost getting struck by lightning!
Advice to Underclassmen: Don't worry about what other people think, their opinions don't matter. Do what makes you happy, not what other people want.

Jessie Ray Wilt

Nickname(s): Jess
Birth date: April 19, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Cheerleading, horseback riding, and FFA
Future Plans: I plan to go to college to become a horse vet.
Most Memorable Moment: Making the cheerleading squad
Advice to Underclassmen: Just be yourself.

Jessie Wilt

Johanna Marie Winter

Nickname(s): Hanna
Birth date: April 15, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Volleyball, tennis, mock trial, Student Council, and Best Buddies
Future Plans: I plan to travel the world and make a difference in the global community.
Most Memorable Moment: The day I departed the Pittsburgh Airport for Hungary
Advice to Underclassmen: Be open to everything. There is a big world outside the county. Get out and try to see as much of it as you can.

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Lindsay Marie Wolf

Birth date: August 5, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Volleyball (captain), track and field, Girl's Varsity (president), hanging out with friends, D.P.G., yearbook, Best Buddies, and 4-H
Future Plans: Go to college, get a good job, make some money, and live a happy life
Most Memorable Moment: Powderpuff football, it was a lot of fun!
Advice to Underclassmen: Have fun while you're in school because before you know it, you're a senior.

Christopher Evan Wood

Nickname(s): Woody
Birth date: October 30, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Robotics, soccer, tennis, skiing, and more soccer
Future Plans: To go to a prestigious college and study chemical engineering
Most Memorable Moment: The crowd chanting during our win against Mountain Ridge
Advice to Underclassmen: The best thing to make your life easier is to keep yourself busy.

Devan Nicole Yoder

Birth date: March 31, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Soccer, 4-H, FFA, and snowboarding
Future Plans: Go to college and study animal science
Most Memorable Moment: Winning the WMIL in soccer my junior year, and all the times with the soccer team
Advice to Underclassmen: Live life to the fullest because it will be over before you know it.

Devan Yoder

Stephen Lloyd Younkin

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Nickname(s): Stevo
Birth date: September 12, 1990
Hobbies/Extra Curricular: Hunting

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TODAY IS NOT YOUR DAY & TOMORROW DOESN'T LOOK GOOD EITHER

MIXUP!

Prom Night 2008

This year's prom was a "Dance at Sunset" for students approaching the end of the school year. Megan Bittinger says that she looks forward to "getting to spend time with friends before we graduate." Prom represents the end of high school for seniors: a night when they can enjoy spending time with all of the cherished friends they have made in high school. Kory Kamp, Danielle Brenneman, Jeffrey Smith and Kasie Fratz celebrated their final dance as NHS students with their royal decorations of sashes, tiaras, flowers, and ear wax.

By Megan Kinsinger
Photos: Allie Benton
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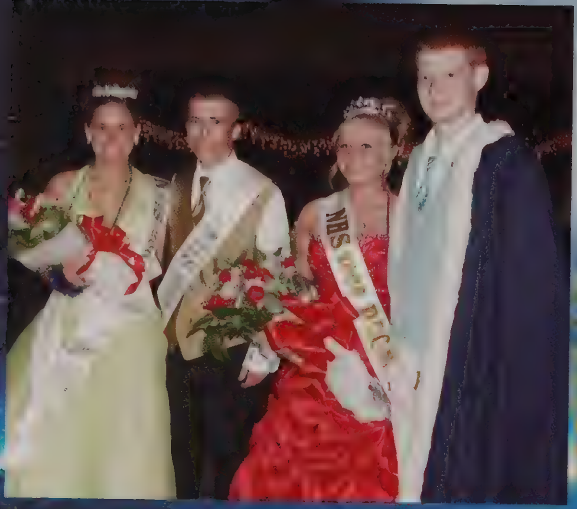

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Royalty at Northern
Kasie Fratz, Prom [illegible]

Lincoln Humberson, 10, and Sean Mastej, 12, take a moment to pose together.

[illegible] Green, 11, and [illegible], 11, are tickled pink to be at prom.

Randy Wiley, 11, and Caitlin Spear, 11, match perfectly.

Making a Statement Amy Lander, 12, shows off junior Julia Miller's fashion statement for prom: Converse!

Dance the Night Away Zachary Fratz, 11, and Megan Sisler, 11, enjoy the evening at prom together and share a romantic last dance.

Making Memories Trey Beasom, 11, with his date Alyssa Rounds, 10, and Stephanie Shapiro, 12, with her date Andy Edwards, enjoy each other's company at prom.

Emily Rosser, 12, and Jonathan Deem, 12, enjoy a tango together.

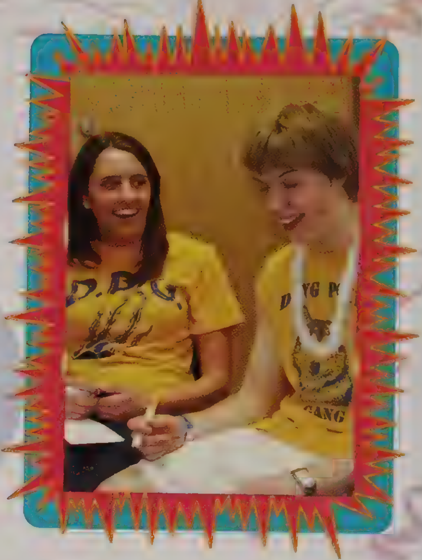
Christopher Wood, 12, poses with his date, Stephanie Lee.

Chritopher Spiker, 12, and Michelle Miller, 10, enjoy their evening together.

Showing off their Hawaiian leis, Eric Espada, 12, and Ben Diehl, 12, play some one-on-one basketball in the auxilary gym.

Rachel Margroff, 11, and her date take a break from all of the activities for a bite of pizza. She said,"I really enjoyed the chocolate fountain the most at After-Prom."

Sierra Pitman, 11, and Dustin Platter, 12, test their knowledge of their relationship to win prizes in the dating game.



Dustin Stough, 11, shows off his muscles by pulling his date away from her basket to win the game of Bungee Basketball.

Justine Harvey, 11, laughs while losing to Dustin and tries her hardest to pull him away from the basket.

Alex Beitzel, 11, and Ronnie Keister, 12, play an intense game of foosball while Dylan Gallagher, 11, watches closely.

Allie Shumaker, 10, and Ryan Evans, 11 challenge each other in one of the most popular activites at After-Prom, "Guitar Hero."

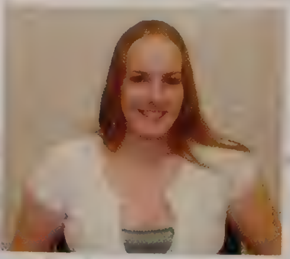
What Did You Enjoy Most About After Prom?

Chelsie Glotfelty, 11
"I enjoyed black jack, the chocolate fountain and having fun with friends."

Tyler Warnick, 10
"I enjoyed just hanging out at the school with people without having to do work."

Tyler Opel, 10
"At After Prom, I enjoyed the blow-up obstacle course in the gym the most."

Lindsey Glotfelty, 11
"My favorite part of After Prom was karaoke and getting to watch everyone sing and have fun."



Party After Sunset

Where's the Party?

After the "Dance at Sunset," there's a arty waiting for everyone. From 12 a.m. o 6 a.m., the party doesn't stop at N.H.S. fter Prom. Students changed from their uxes or dresses and high heels into weatpants and tee shirts. This year's fter Prom had many of the same ctivities as last year. From sunset to unrise, students enjoyed various ctivities such as dancing, eating from he chocolate fountain, running through he obstacle course, and even just elaxing and watching a movie. Karina alker, 11, says, "I attended After Prom ecause I know how fun it is and I was xcited for the obstable course." After Prom provided a place for friends to spend the night together safely. This year's theme was "Party in Paradise". There were many prizes students could have won at After Prom from movie tickets to an actual television. This year's winners of the cash prizes were: Karina Walker, 11, ($250), Nicole Opel, 12, ($250), Amber Branthoover, 11, ($500), and Angie Lamastus, 12, ($1000). Amber Branthoover says, "Winning the money made staying up till 6 a.m. worth it."

By Brittany Stein
Photos: Megan Margroff

Emily Rosser, 12, Adam Moranduzzo, 10, and Amber Branthoover, 11, test their uck and card skills in a game of blackjack.

Amanda Beitzel, 12, and her date take a break from all the activities for a photo under the tiki hut.

Lindsay Wolf, 12, and Kory Kamp ,12, show off their Hawaiian bodies in the cut-out design created by the art classes.

Students in the gym sit in the bleachers and watch others do various activites while taking a break from their long evening.

SENIOR TRIP

Whether it is Walt Disney World, Busch Gardens, or Kennywood, senior trips are an adventure within themselves. The seniors were excited to spend quality time with their friends for one of the last times in high school. A day away at Kennywood Park offered seniors the experience of getting their adrenaline pumping by riding the Phantom's Revenge, the Skycoaster, and the Pitt Fall. Seniors were able to set aside their worries for one day and not think about how different their lives are going to be in a couple of months. With the school year drawing to a close, the seniors were rewarded for all of their hard work throughout their years in high school. Applying to colleges, deciding whether to enlist in the army, taking AP tests, and studying for finals make for a stressful senior year. The end of the year senior trip allowed students to escape from their everyday worries and just have a good time with their friends before graduation.

By Ainsley Raley
Photos by: Nicole Opel

Help Me Find My Stomach?
Scott Savage and Toby Maust return from their wild ride on the Thunderbolt.

Let the Good Times Roll

Zach Brenneman plays the Bowler Roller at Kennywood. On Zach's first try, he won a stuffed turtle.

Give it a Whirl

Several seniors ride the newest attraction at Kennywood, The Cosmic Chaos. This thrill ride spins 360 degrees while reaching up to 50 feet high.

Picture Perfect

Amy Lander poses with the Scooby Doo prize she won playing Roll A Ball. Amy went up against some tough competition, and she was proud to win the game.

Twists and Turns

Free Falling

Sarah Griffin, Alexis Shannon, Samantha Stemple, and Keith Covell get prepared to ride the Pitt Fall.

Memories to Last a Lifetime

Krista Beiler, Mandi Fazenbaker, and Andy Ganoe wait patiently in line to ride the Thunderbolt.

Los Dos Amigos

Cory Stout and Ryan Seaman walk out of the Thunderbolt's exit, heading toward another exciting ride.

Oh Well!

Amy Lander suffers from motion sickness after riding The Phantom's Revenge.

Say Cheese!

Nicole Opel takes time out of her busy field trip schedule for a photo.

Are We There Yet?

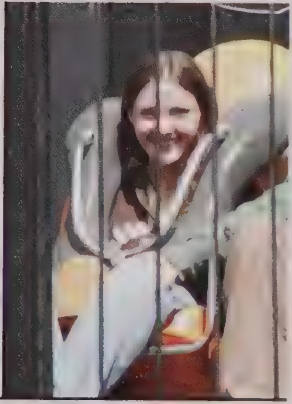
After a broken down bus, and over 60 people loaded onto the second bus, the seniors still maintained high spirits as they traveled to Kennywood.

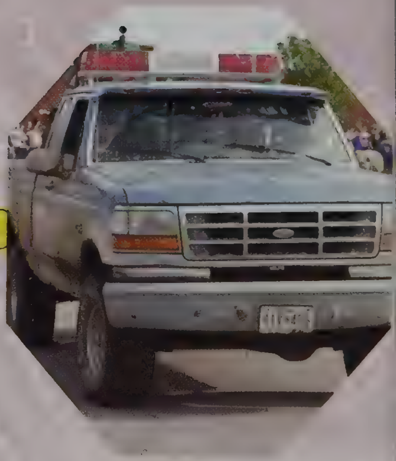
A Need for Speed

Kory Kamp and Lindsay Wolf ride one of the fastest roller coasters in the world, the Phantom's Revenge. The Phantom's Revenge is a steel roller coaster that travels up to 85 mph.

Don't Look Down!

Kelli Wilhelm gets strapped in to ride the Aero 360. This ride is just one of three rides at Kennywood that goes upside down.





Dirt Bikes and Tractors and Trucks, Oh My!

Photos: from top left, follow the arrows!

1) Jasmine Miner takes her final lap around the high school.

2) Kristopher Durst drives his dirt bike to leave his mark at Northern.

3)Bradley Friend shows us his "muddy" side of life.

4) Zackery McCrobie his tractor as a sign of his John Deere pride.

5) Cory Tressler, Steven Hyson, and Tony Messina ride in style in a Ford Mustang to celebrate their last days at Northern.

6) Brian Benedict shows off his vehicle and says goodbye to the underclassman.

7) Robert Stanley drives his final time at Northern.

8) Shawn Uphold and Seth Broadwater cruise by on their way onto a new life outside of school.

SENIOR PARADE

As the graduating seniors were counting down the final days to graduation, they took the time to make a few more memories of their times at Northern High School.

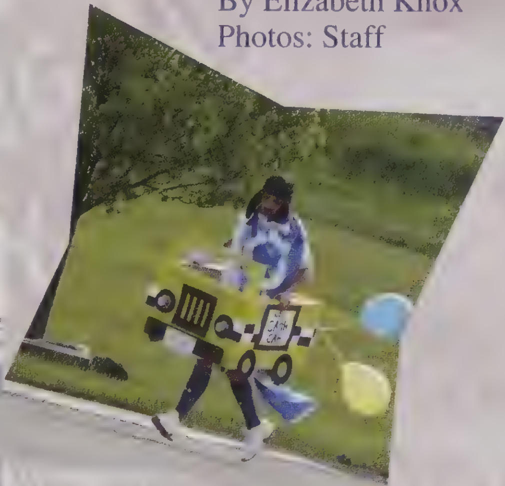
The seniors had many different options for leaving their mark. One is an event that happens every year and everyone can't wait to see. Seniors plan ahead trying to come up with a unique way to be remembered, whether it is driving a vehicle, driving farm equipment, riding a dirt bike or maybe even a motorcycle.

As we look to the future, it is hard to say exactly what might come from the next years of seniors, so we say goodbye as the seniors drive off into the sunset.

By Elizabeth Knox
Photos: Staff

Grab Life By The Horns
Blair Silbaugh, Eric Smetzer, and Scott Savage wave goodbye to the underclassmen.

Keep On Truckin'
Adam Rounds drives his truck to show his senior spirit. "I participated because all my friends were in there and I wanted to show off and blow a lot of smoke."



Fancy Footwork
Steven Taylor adds some variety to the parade by "driving" the NHS cash cab.

Drivin' In Style
Katy Savage, and Christofer Spiker are riding high at the end of the parade.

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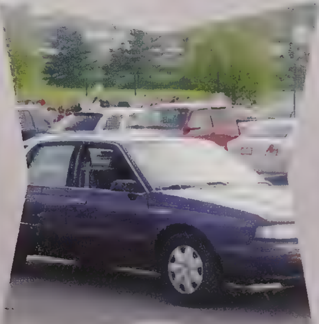

Crusin'
Kenny Weaver shows his pride is his school before he off to start a new life after graduation.

Rev It Up!
Tyler Harding is being mysterious by having all the windows up.

Wild Hogs
Jacob Taylor celebrates his "cycle" to freedom.

Senior Superlatives

Most Talented: Hannah Walters and Jessie Storey

Class Clown: Mitch Hall and Kasie Fratz

The class of 2008 includes many unique and talented individuals. The class voted on the outstanding students in several categories. The male and female winners are represented on these pages. Congratulations to the class of 2008!

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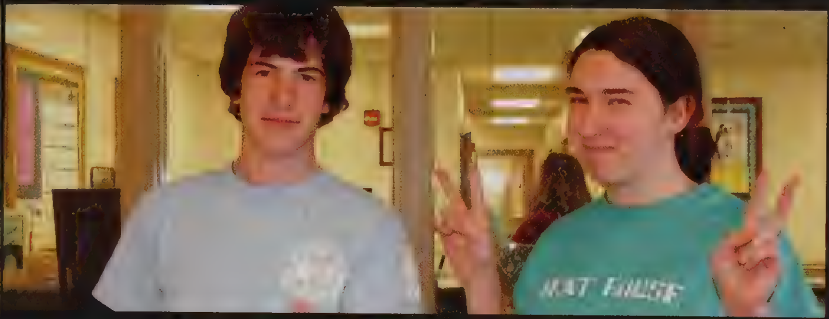
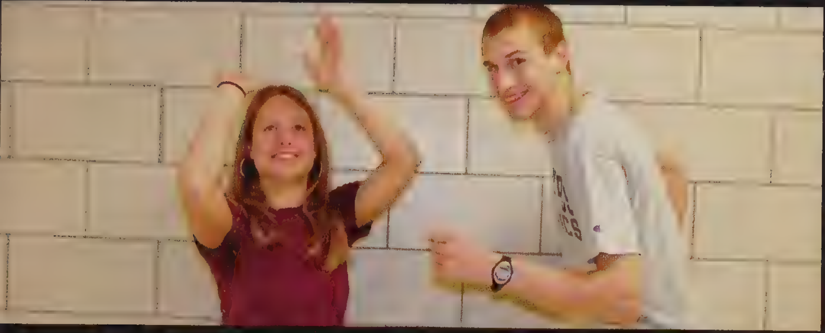
Best Hair: Mandi Fazenbaker and Jessie Storey

Best Car: Ben Diehl and Kasondra Broadwater

Best Truck: Tricia Wiley and Andy Ganoe



Most Likely to be President: Emily Rosser and Chris Wood



Most Athletic: Sarah Voelkel and Ryan Bowser

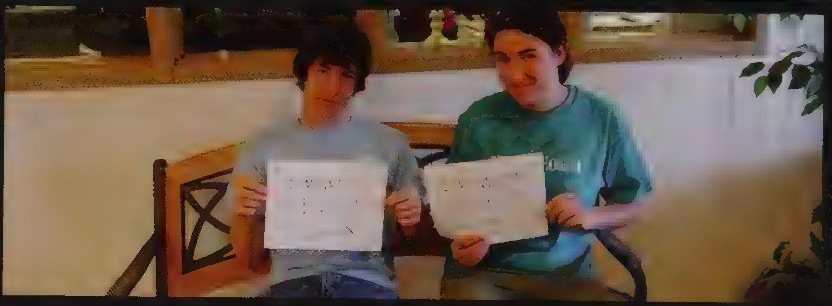
Most Likely to Be Famous: Emily Rosser and Eric Espada

Best Dressed: Megan Margroff and Dustin Platter

Best Personality: Stephanie Shapiro and Eric Espada

Best Dancer: Garrett Gulledge and Hannah Walters

Best Smile: Eric Espada and Ashton Graham



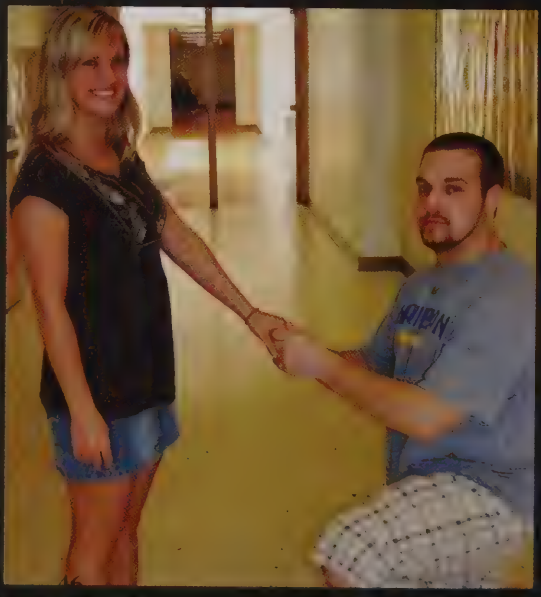
Smartest: Chris Wood and Emily Rosser

40 and Living at Home:
Susan Thatcher and Andy Ganoe

Most Unlikely Couple:
Andi Miller and Justin Rosenberger

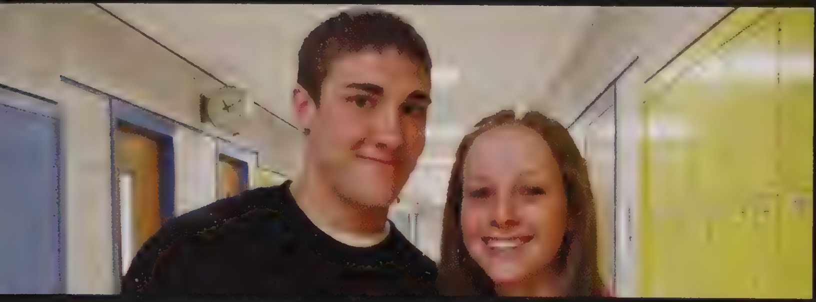
Best Friends: Matt Sisler & Jeffery Smith and Susan Thatcher & Lacey Cordes

Worst Driver: Ryan Finzel and Susan Thatcher

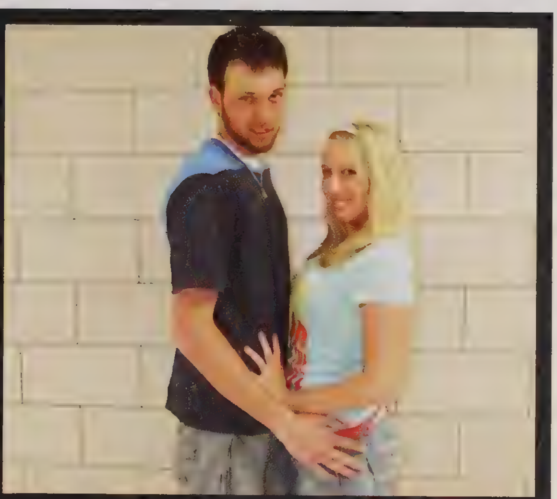


Most Likely to Be Married:
Ashley Kinzey
and Matt Mason

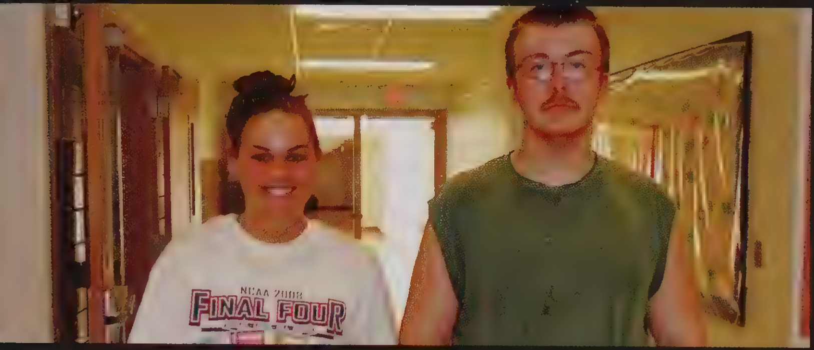
Cutest Couple:
Lindsay Wolf
and Kory Kamp



Best Eyes: Garrett Gulledge and Lindsay Wolf



Biggest Flirt: Cory Stout & Susan Thatcher



Best Nickname: Kasie Fratz and Adam Miller

Quiestest: Ainsley Railey & David Warnick

Ditsy-est: Andy Ganoe and Susan Thatcher

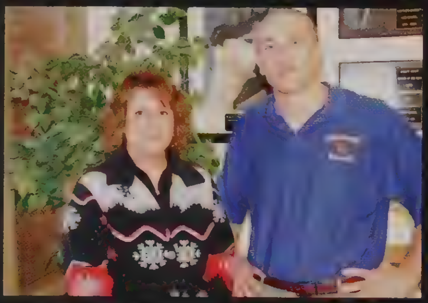
Couple that Should Have Been: Justin Rosenberger & Sarah Voelkel

Tallest and Shortest: Roland Fisher & Tricia Wiley, Jeff Smith & Kelli Wilhelm

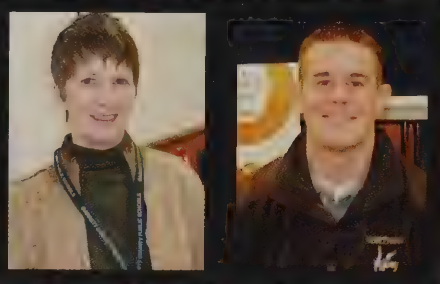
Favorite Computer Teacher: Mr. Lewis

Most Caring Teachers: Ms. Harman and Mr. Nicklin

Favorite Teachers:
Ms. Harman and Mr. Edwards



Favorite Sub:
Ms. Teets and Mr. Stein



Coolest Teachers:
Ms. Harman and Mr. Edwards

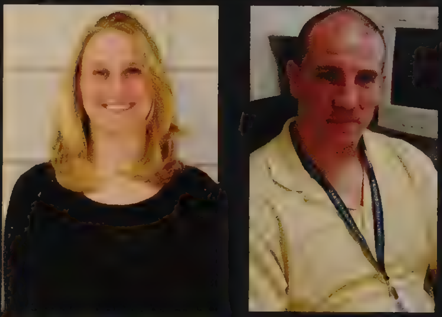
Most Athletic Teachers:
Mr. Edwards and Mrs. Stough

Most Entertaining Teachers:
Mr. Nicklin and Ms. Harman

Einstein Award:
Ms. Harman and Mr. Price

Best Stories:
Mr. Nickin and Mrs. Coburn

Strict but Fair:
Mrs. Hawkins and Mr. Edwards



Favorite Teacher Assistant:
Mrs. Brenneman

Most Challenging Core Teachers: Mrs. Deem and Mr. Kolbe

Most Challenging Non-Core Teachers: Ms. Sisler and Mr. Lewis

Teacher Superlatives

As voted on by the class of 2008

avorite Math Teacher: Mrs. Grimm

Favorite English Teacher: Mrs. Coburn

he class of 2008 has learned a great deal over the past four years at Northern High chool. There were many teachers who influenced the students through the years. The eachers on these pages are only a select few who were picked to be honored by the class f 2008. Thank you to all Northern High School teahers for your love and support.

Favorite Science Teacher: Ms. Harman

Favorite Vocational Teacher: Mr. Moranduzzo

Favorite Social Studies Teacher: Mr. Edwards

GRADUATION

CLASS of 2008

The entire 2008 graduating class listens as the ceremony begins

Graduation is full of emotion; it is a mixture of happiness, sadness, and a feeling of accomplishment. We start off high school as young, frightened freshmen and end as mature, successful individuals. To each person graduation means something different. Kelli Wilhelm says she is looking foward to "getting my diploma-it's recognition I have accomplished something." Emily Rosser has a slightly different approach and says, "I'm excited to move on to college and experience life outside of NHS." As the Valedictorian's speech comes to a close and the caps fly off, the seniors leave Northern High School, to begin the rest of their lives.

By Megan Kinsinger
Photos: Allie Benton

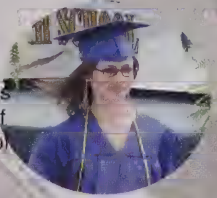
Steps Towards Graduation

Left: Gesse Glotfelty leaves the stage with his long-awaited diploma in his hands.
Top Right: The graduating class of 2008 come together for the last time as high school students.
First Middle Right: Kory Kamp is pleased to receive his diploma from Dr. Teets.
Second Middle Right: The 2008 Class move their tassels to the left and are now officially graduates of NHS.
Bottom Right: The seniors hold their diplomas tightly as they toss their caps into the air to signify the end of the ceremony and the beginning of the next step in their lives.

Speechless
Shawn Uphold is struck with excitement as he returns to his chair.

one With the Wind
Zachary rautwein is own away y all of his ccomplishments.

Mixed Emotions
Hannah Walters pauses to take in all of the emotions o the day.



1. Pathway to Success
The 2008 aledictorian, Ainsley Railey, gives her class words to live by as they begin their future.

2. Words of Wisdom
The 2008 Salutatorian, Kelli Wilhelm, leaves her class with sound advice.

3. Recognition
Christopher Wood receives his award for graduating in the top 5% of the 2008 NHS Class.

4. Time to Shine
Emily Rosser shows off a bright smile as she recieves her award for graduating in the top 5% of the class.

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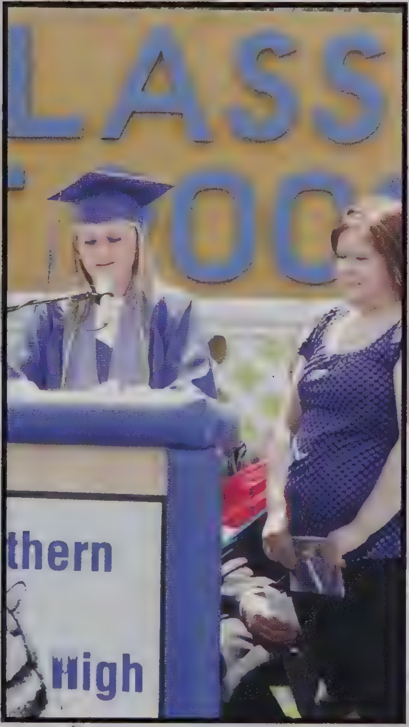
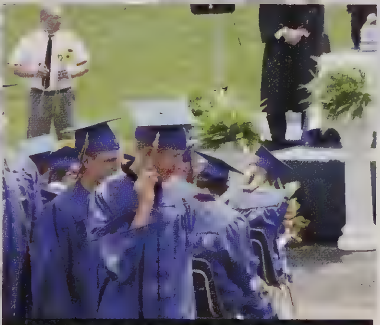
Passing of the Torch
The Mantle is passed down from the 2008 Class President, Danielle Brenneman, to the 2009 Class President, Ashton Carr.





Do it With a Smile
David Warnick stands up, looking forward to holding his diploma.

The Last Step
The 2008 graduating class from Northern High School begin to move their tassels.

Awaiting Graduating
Andrew Ganoe shows his excitement while he patiently waits in line.

The Walk Towards a Diploma
Johanna Winter, Jessie Wilt, await their turn to step onto the stage.

It's a Dawg's Life

Northern is not only about work! Our huskies can also have a good time while in school. The DPG comes to all the basketball games to chant and cheer on the team to help them get motivated to win the game.

At school dances, the classes dance the night away together. Homecoming is the time of year when everyone in the school gets involved with school activities. This makes classes compete to see which class is the best.

Attack!
Dylan Beitzel, 10, plays a relaxing game of chess with his friends.

The talent show allows the students to show their individuality. They show off their strengths for everyone to see. Together, the students celebrate their unique abilities.

Northern takes time out of the year to make sure that the students are having a good time and enjoying the whole school year.

By Stephanie Shapiro

Lending A Hand
Caleb Walters, 11, helps his elementary friend make an ABC book.

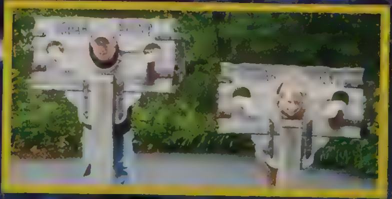
Sound of Music
Sarah Griffin, 12, makes music by hitting a wood block.

Thirsty
Matt Sisler, 12, takes a break and gets a drink of water.

Playing House
Jasmine Miner, 12, learns to interact with children.

Ford?
Ronnie Keister, 12, drives a tractor around the school.

Another Form of Detention
Jamie Rayner, 12, has an exciting time at Cedar Point with her boyfriend.



Bust A Move
Jason Green,11, shows off his break dancing skills.

Be Creative
Lacey Warnick,11, works with her kindergarten friend to make an ABC book.

Sisterly Love
Elizabeth Knox,11, spends time with her sister at Grantsville Elementary School.

Play Time
Katy Savage,12, hangs out in a tube while participating in childcare placements.

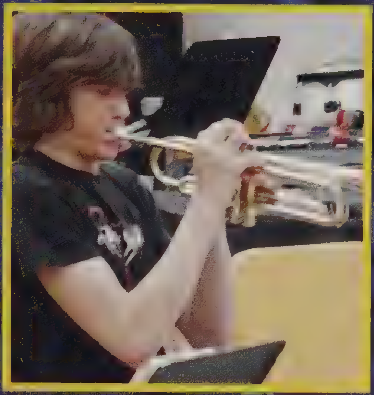
Working Hard
Alex Beitzel, 11, records data for FFA spring judging.

Resue Breathing
Megan Kamp,12, practices doing CPR.

Expecting
Amber Custer,1[illegible] has the experience of being pregnant by wearting a **FAKE** empathy belly

Scared?
Ryan Moreland, 11, experiences a moment of shyness.

Tooting His Own Horn
Caleb Griffin, 10, practices playing his trumpet.



Let's Go Dawgs!
The DPG shows their team spirit by yelling and cheering on the team.

School Spirit
The cheerleaders get the crowd pumped up and ready to support their team!

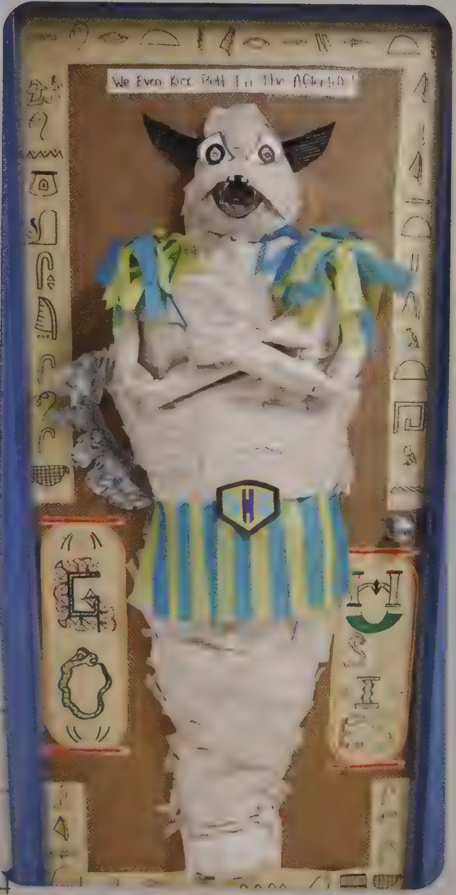
Walk Like an Egyptian

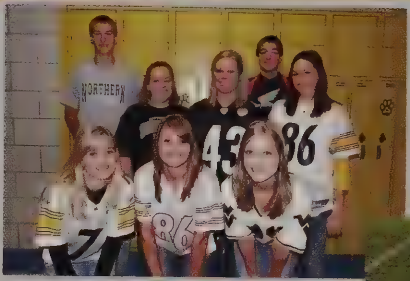
...during Spirit Week, the pep rally, the football game, and of course the Homecoming Dance!

The halls are decorated blue and gold and school spirit is in full swing during Spirit Week leading up to the big Homecoming dance. Students show their school spirit by participating in the different dress-up days. Senior Lindsay Wolf said, "My favorite day of Spirit Week was blue and gold day because I was really comfortable and our colors looked cool in the gym because everyone participated." Some people may not dress up every day during spirit week, but they enjoy the pep rally and the football game. "I enjoyed the pep rally because it got us pumped up for the game and we played good and won the game by a lot," stated senior quarterback Garrett Gulledge. However, the biggest part of Homecoming week is the dance. "My favorite part of the dance was singing and dancing with all the seniors to our class song," recalled Katie Kelly, 12. Students danced the night away, creating many memories with the Egyptian theme: "A Night on the Nile."

By Brittany Stein
Photos: Megan Margroff

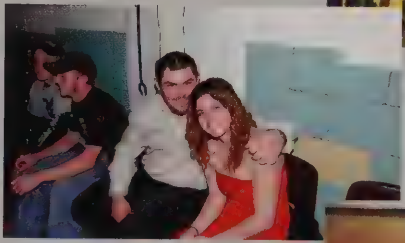
Students show their school spirit by decorating their doors. Mr. Paxton's Husky Mummy door was the winner in the Most Creative category.





Left: Students show their school sprit by wearing their favorite teams' shirts and uniforms on Sports Day. **Front Row:** Ashley Kinzey, Megan Margroff, Ariana Wilt. **Middle Row:** Abbey Rugola, Ashton Graham, Kasie Fratz. **Back Row:** Ryan Bowser, Brian Williams.

Right: The Huskies pull together and get pumped for the big game.



Left: Shawn Uphold, 12, and his girlfriend enjoy each other's company at the dance.

Right: Casey Kinzey, 10, Tori Holtschneider, 10, and Amanda Stanley, 11, show off their wacky styles.

Left: Twins? Ashton Graham, 12, states, "My favorite day of Spirit Week was Twin Day when my friends and I dressed in 1980's workout clothes." **Front Row:** Susan Thatcher, Lacey Cordes. **Back Row:** Brittany Stein, Ashton Graham, Sarah Voelkel, Abby Sherrard.

Left: Dressed up and ready to have some fun, students come together on the dance floor to enjoy their "Night on the Nile."

Below: Cheerleaders Haleigh Werner, 9, and Allie Shumaker, 10, show their creativity on Wacky Day.

Right: Dylan Day, 10 shows his spirit on Blue and Gold Day.

Right: 2007 Senior Court: Queen Lindsay Wolf and King Jessie Wilt; Princess Katie Kelly and Prince Zach Trautwein.

Left: The 2008 senior class comes together for a quick photo at their last Homecoming Dance.

Above: On Costume Day, the farmer, Megan Voelkel, 11, and her animals, Justine Harvey, 11, Megan Wiley, 11, and Megan Kinsinger, 11, are on the prowl.

A Face from Another Crowd

Garrett Gulledge, 12, spends the evening with his girlfriend, Brittany Harvey from Southern.

Dance, Dance!

John Owens, 12, and Rebecca Engle, 9, celebrate the end of the 2007-2008 school year at the JROTC Formal.

Under the Spotlights

Adam Counts, 9, and Martha Moats, 9, enjoy the evening together at the JROTC Formal.

Break it Down!

Emma Bass, 11, and Zachary Lipscomb, 11, take a break from all of the excitement.

Material Girls

Angela Lamastus and Samantha Stemple, 12, display just a couple of the beautiful dresses at Snowball.

Dance All Night

Barrick Uphold, 10, and Kenny Friend, 10, grab a drink and take a break from the hot dance floor.

Dance All Night

Sundown to Sunrise

WIth all of the homework and studying that the students of Northern Garrett High School have to do, they deserve a little break to spend time with all of their friends. Throughout the school year, clubs and groups sponsor the dances held between homecoming and prom. Lindsay Glotfelty comments "It's nice to see everyone dressed up! I enjoy dancing and listening to the music while hanging out with my friends."

By Megan Kinsinger
Photos: Allie Benton
and Staff

Dedication!
Helen Owens, 11, supports the JROTC even after a long day at work.

Don't Stop the Music!
Students enjoy the music, the dancing, and the company of friends at Snowball.

Smile!
Tanya Devine, 11, Susan Thatcher, 12, Lacey Cordes, 12, and Josh Duckworth, 11, express their excitement.

Royalty at Northern
Sarah Voelkel, Kasie Fratz, Brittany Stein, and Ashley Kinzey, all wait for the announcement of the 2007 Snowball Queen.

How Sweet!
William Gibbs, 10, and Breanna Siegmyer, 11, share a friendly moment at the ROTC Formal.

One Last Dance
Jenna McClintock, 11, and Ryan Moreland, 11, share the final dance of the night together.

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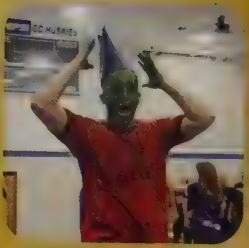

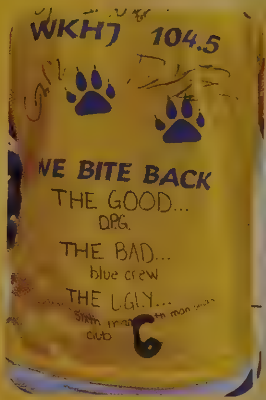

WE are the HUSKIES.
And THIS is OUR HOUSE.

You know the feeling: The game is tied and there's five seconds left on the clock. Your heart is pounding and everyone's ready to storm the court at the sound of the ending buzzer. Yes, my friends, we've won the game. That feeling can be found in every single member of the D.P.G. on game night. "The best part of being in the D.P.G. is helping to support the basketball team and getting the fans pumped up to cheer on the team," says Nikki Diehl, 10. How else can students show school spirit? Brian Williams 12, says "I wear my blue and gold shirts and try to go to most of the games." Students here at Northern sure know how to represent that royal blue and gold.

By Ashton Graham

Photos: Ashley Kinzey and staff

High Five!

Members of the D.P.G give the players high fives as they come out to warm up.

Students participate in the cheer "let me see your alligator" at the pep rally the week of Homecoming.

D.P.G fans represent the Huskies the night of the Northern vs. Southern playoff game.

"Which way is it going?" D.P.G. fans chant when the Huskies get possession of the ball.

Members of the D.P.G. cheer on the Huskies during the Frankfort home game.

Members of the freshman class wear orange to to show class unity in the War of the Classes.

Who are we? GC!

Members of the D.P.G pause for a picture on the night of the Northern vs. Southern game.

Work It

The cheerleaders pump up spirit and get the crowd roaring.

Toga, Toga!

Patrick Brady, Eric Espada, Cory Stout and Ryan Seaman show their Husky spirit by wearing togas the night of the Bishop Walsh home game.

The senior class team members pose for the camera after the last War of the Classes they will be able to participate in.

Members of the NHS girls' soccer team show their school pride at a boys' soccer game against Mt. Ridge.

Spirit Fingers

D.P.G. fans hold their breath, hoping the Huskies sink their foul shots.

Soloist
John Owens, 12, entertains the crowd with an awesome guitar solo.

Redefined in Red
The band, whose members include Jeremy Beitzel, 11, Neil Buckel, 12, Jessie Storey, 12, and Zach, Trautwein, 12, perform one of their own songs.

Pumped
Chris Spiker, 12, gets the audience going with an energetic drum solo.

Comedians
The hosts of the talent show, Dylan Gallagher, 11, and Ryan Moreland, 11, attempt to entertain the crowd between acts.

Working the Stage
Danielle Brenneman, 12, and Megan Margroff, 12, show off their skills singing "Red High Heels."

Sing it Girls...
Claire Vallano, 11, and Kristen Dewitt, 11, sing "Ain't No Other Man", as well as making up their own moves to the song.

Star Search

NHS Displays Major Star Potential.

Ah, the annual spring talent show, it's the time of year when many brave students emerge to present their hidden talents. This year's talent show, according to many students, is the most entertaining show yet. From the singing, dancing, and instrument playing, to the hilarious comedic rants, NHS sure has some talented individuals.

So how did the performers feel about being in the talent show? Chris Spiker, 12, says, "I love being able to perform in front of an audience. Especially when it's something I love." Not only did the audience enjoy the show, but also the performers. Can next year's talent show top this year's? We think not.

By Ashton Graham
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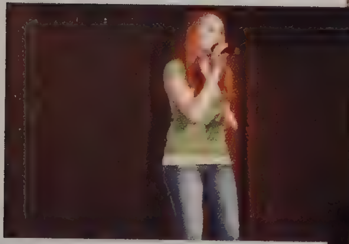
Aaron Babcock, 11, owns the stage during his guitar solo.



Alecia Bender, 10, works the crowd, singing two different songs.

Kim Riggin, 10, enjoys singing "Girl Next Door" for the audience.

Zach Beal, 9, impresses the audience by drumming along to a Linkin Park song.

Andi Miller, 12, sings the song "Kerosene."

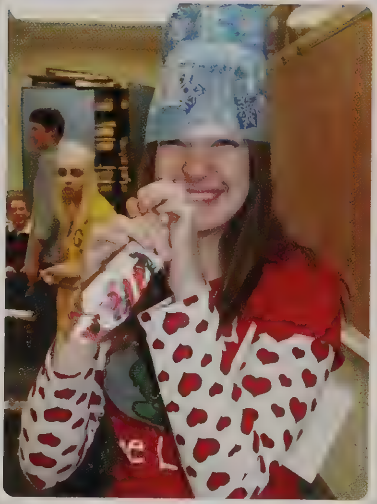
Rhythm

Hannah Walters, 12, expresses herself by performing two of her original dances.

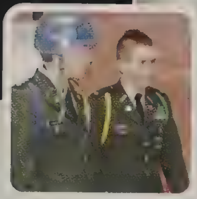
Working Their Way to the Top

Every year the freshmen, sophomores, and juniors learn both about their academic subjects and about themselves in general. The students become more mature as they work their way up the social and scholastic ladder in their quest to achieve their ultimate goal: graduation.

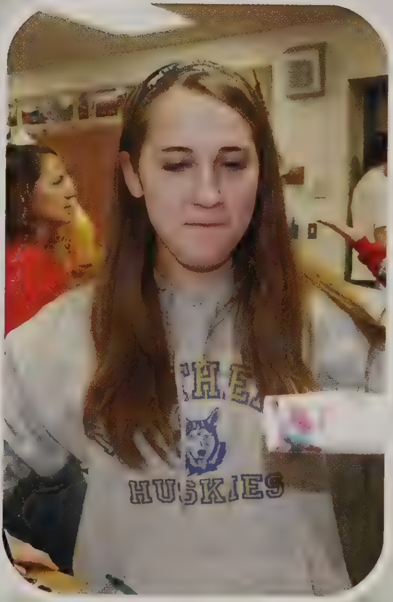
Underclassmen contribute a great deal to the school through their participation in classes, sports, clubs, and social activities. All of the experiences that these students go through during their high school years help to shape who they are and who they will be.



Party Time!
Mallory Brenneman, 11, celebrates Christmas by dressing up in Mrs. Derlan's English class.



All Dressed Up
Dylan Gallagher and Ryan Moreland, 11, teach the class for JROTC.



Hold your Ears
Alicia Bender, 11, gets ready to pop her noise maker in Mrs. Derlan's English class.

Surf's Up
William Thatcher, 9, practices his surf skills atop another student's car.

Bystander
Cody Humberson, 9, cheers on the girls' tennis team at their match in Grantsvile.

Chillaxing
Rodney Schroyer, 11, and Dane Beitzel,11, talk about the day's activities while enjoying their lunch.

Coustume Ball?
The members of the girls' soccer team dress up during their "soccer sleep over."

Juniors

Shaun Adams

Aaron Babcock

Emma Bass

Brandon Beachy

Justin Beaule

Charlene Beiler

Alex Beitzel

Andrew Beitzel

Dane Beitzel

Jeremy Beitzel

Lara Beitzel

Allie Benton

Bradford Benton Jr.

Logan Bequette

Bryan Bergheim

Rachel Birkby

Michael Biser

Kyle Bowman

Richard Bowman

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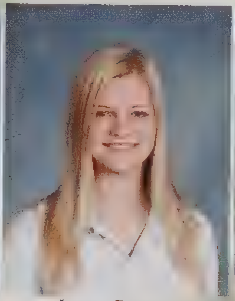
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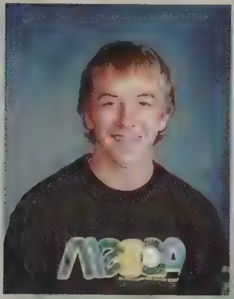
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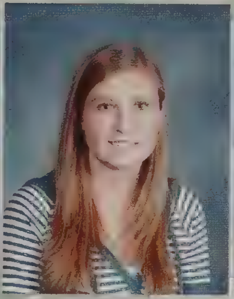
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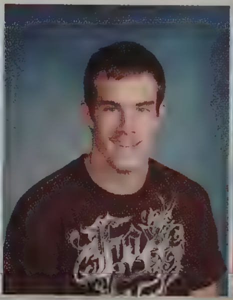
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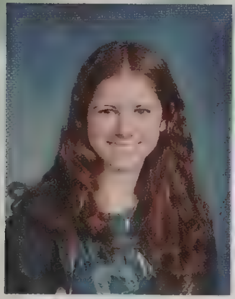
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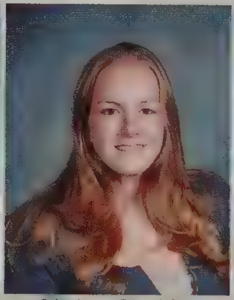
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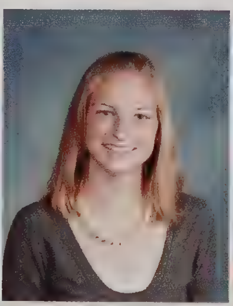
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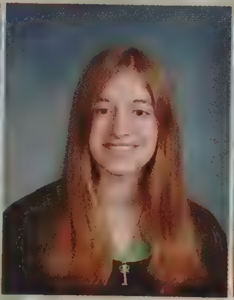
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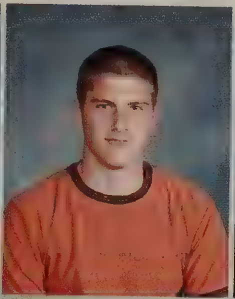
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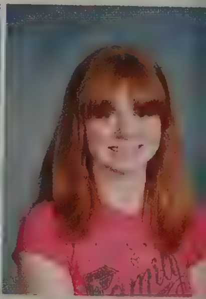
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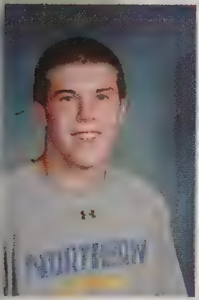
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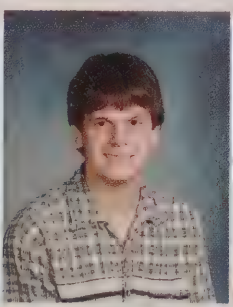
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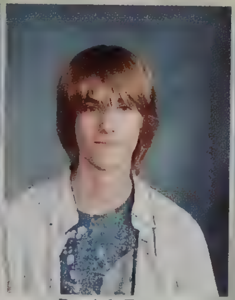
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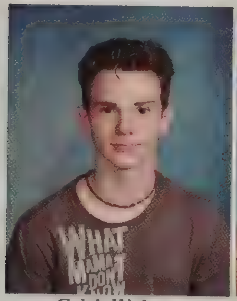
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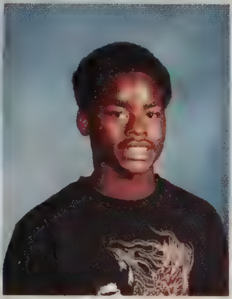
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Randall Guthrie
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Dylan Miller
Michelle Miller
Jordyn Milton
Courtney Minnich

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Adam Moranduzzo
Francis Moravetz
Cory Moreland
Taylor Nicklin
Sierra O'Brien
Tyler Opel

Trevor Patton
Jodie Platter
Danielle Rickelmann
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Christopher Ball
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Zachary Beal
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Joshua Beitzel
Paula Bender
Bryan Bowser
Adam Brenneman
Cody Brenneman

Derek Broadwater
Morgan Brosnihan
Brittany Buckel
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Michael Burns
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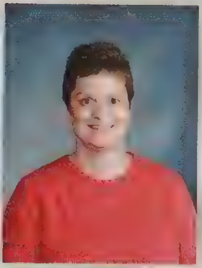
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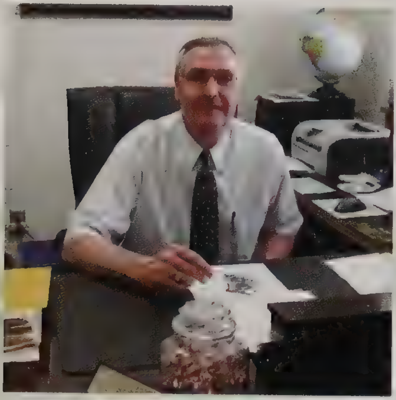

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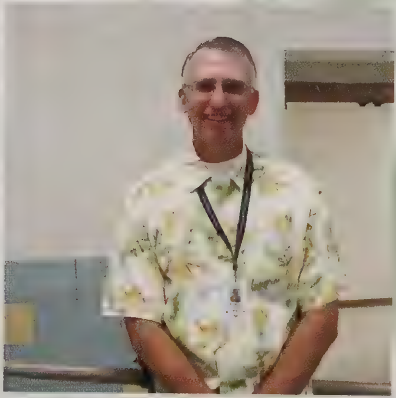


Huskies' Muscles

Northern's athletic teams hunt year around to defeat their prey. The Husky sports teams are compact, strong-willed, and hard-working dogs. This leads to a great season for all of our sports teams.

Huskies are very hard working; they practice every day to get stronger at pulling sleds. Our Northern Huskies put the same effort into their sports teams and clubs to mark their own territory. This helps them come out of the year with a winning season, new skills, and great successes.

By Stephanie Shapiro
Photos: Staff

Dawg Pile!
Northern's football team gets pumped up before a big game.

Four...
Zak Brosnihan, 12, prepares for a big hit.

Shoot...
Terra McKenzie, 9, gets the rebound and prepares to put it back up for two points.

Penetration
Jason Warnick, 12, hangs on to win a big match.

Assist
Zachary Lipscomb, 11, guides the soccer ball into the net.

Hard Work Does Pay Off
The boys' baseball team accepts their award for having a great season last year.

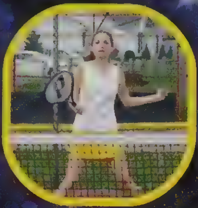
Dream Team
The girls' basketball players stand for the national anthem before their game.

The King And I
Nicholas Buckel, 9, plays a game of chess in chess club.

Jump...
Nicole Tichinel, 9, hurdles over the obstacles.

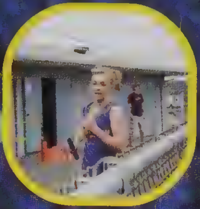
Making Faces
Anita Opel, 12, works on making a mask in Envirothon

Wide Awake
Laura Schroyer, 10, warms-up before the softball game.

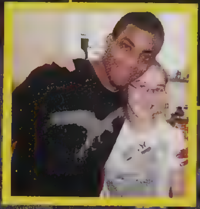


Love
Karina Walker, 11, prepares to volley the ball back to her opponent.

Strike
Jessica Baker,10, pitches the ball during an exciting softball game.



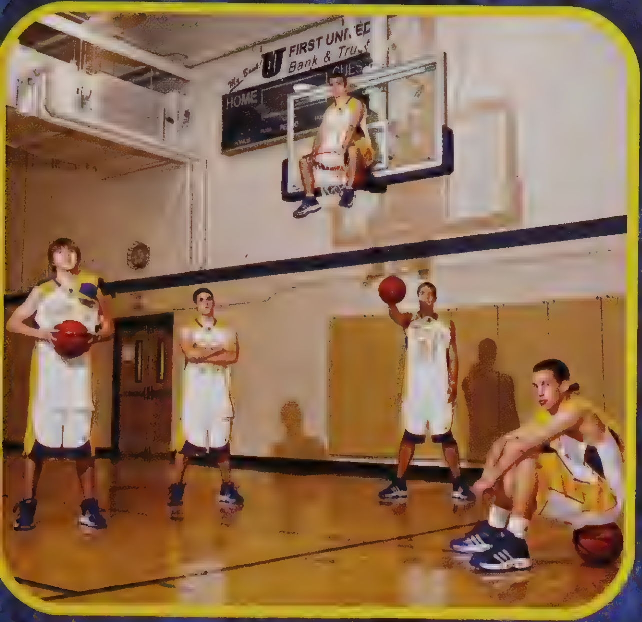
Almost There!
Monica Keller, 9, runs the last lap of her track relay.



Buddying Up
Cara Bauermaster, 9, and Jason Green,11, bond during a Best Buddies activity.

Kicking It
The girls' soccer players show off the great moves that led them to an outstanding season.

Pep Talk
The girls' volleyball team gets a talk to hype them up before their game.



Hoops...
Dustin Platter,12, Garrett Gulledge,1[illegible], Jeff Smith,12, Kory Gibson,12, and Ed Herpel,11, are the starters for the 2007-08 boys' basketball team.

Getting Together

Making Memories That Last a *Lifetime!*

From bases to field goals and fall to spring, members of all of the varsity sports teams join together to form the Girls' Varsity Club and the Lettermen's Club. Each month they get together with friends and teammates and plan events such as the traditional lettermen vs. faculty basketball game and the new Spring Fling sponsored by the Girls' Varsity Club. These clubs also have some other perks. Members get a letter and a pin to decorate their school-spirited blue and gold jackets. Senior Andrew Ganoe says, "Every year I have lettered in a sport. [Lettermen's Club] is a good reward for the people who letter."

By Megan Kinsinger
Photos: Allie Benton

We Are Family!

Justin Rosenberger, 12, sticks out in the crowd with his outfit for the traditional Letterman Initiation.

Leaders of the Pack

Justin Rosenberger,12, Steven Taylor, 12, Adam Miller, 12, Garrett Gulledge (Vice President), 12, and Matt Mason (President), 12, are the leaders of the Northern Garrett High School's Lettermen's Club.

Represent!

Ashley Wilhelm (Treasurer), 12, Kasie Fratz (Vice President), 12, Lindsey Wolf (President), 12, and Andrea Miller (Secretary), 12, represent the Girls Varsity Club of Northern High.

Ballin'!

Mr. Opel takes a shot while Tyler Masters, 12, makes an attempt to block it in the lettermen vs. faculty basketball game.

What do you enjoy most about your club?

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It's going down!

The seniors and juniors fight it out in the first powderpuff football game in 5 years. The seniors took the win, 14-0.

It Comes Back Around

Jeremy Beitzel, 11, Michael Clise, 12, Elijah Lais, 12, and Benjamin Deihl, 12, take part in a Lettermen's meeting where they plan for the upcoming annual lettermen vs. faculty basketball game, which is held right before the holiday break.

It's Just the Beginning

Abby Sherrard, 12, dresses up on wacky day as part of her initiation into the Girls' Varsity Club. Initiation takes place every year for the newcomers of Girls' Varsity Club. It requires the new members to dress up in a different costume or wacky style each day for a week.

Time and Time Again...

At their monthly Girls' Varsity meeting, Lindsay Wolf, 12, and Ashley Wilhelm, 12, discuss and decide the events and fundraisers that the club will be sponsoring during the year.

Right: The cheer team perfects their back-arch pyramid stunt in front of the crowd at the Spirit Unlimited Cheer and Dance Competition

Coach Carr

"My favorite thing about coaching is witnessing the personal and physical growth of all the cheerleaders throughout the year. I also love winning as a 'team' at competition. We cheer all year for other sports and it's nice to do something for our team."

Above the Rest

Nicole Tichinel, 9, says, "My favorite thing about being a flyer is learning all of the different stunts and showing them off at games and competition."

Below: At an away football game, the cheerleaders pump up the fans with an enthusiastic cheer.

Below: Coming together as a team is a key to earning points at competition. Andi Miller, 12, says, "Competition is the best part about cheerleading because during this time we come together and bond the most as a team."

Below: The cheerleaders get the fans involved in school spirit by doing a common cheer so everyone can shout aloud with them and motivate the football team.

Varsity

Front Row: Ashley Kinzey, Katherine Kelly, Andrea Miller, Jessie Wilt, Amanda Fazenbaker, Megan Margroff, Ariana Wilt. **Middle Row:** Nicole Tichinel, Melissa Ganoe, Rachel Margroff, Alexandria Shumaker, Sonya Thomas, Casandra Kinzey. **Back Row:** Kelsey Smith, Haleigh Werner, Linzi Sisler, Allie Benton, Samantha McGee, Laura Butner.

Determination, Dedication, Motivation

We Know Who's Best: N-H-S!

At every home football, basketball, or boys' soccer game, you see them. It's not the players on the field; it's the cheerleaders on the sidelines. Cheerleaders motivate and provide the most school spirit at NHS. Their sport is different from all the rest at the school because their one chance to show their talent and hard work is at competition. This year, the team placed fourth and advanced to Nationals in Atlantic City, where they placed fifth. Allie Shumaker, 10, enjoyed competition "because we come together the most as a team and it's our one shot to prove all our hard work and practice." Competition is only one day of a cheerleader's long season. While they cheer on the boys' sports teams, both home and away, the cheerleaders work all year to practice for competition. "A cheerleader's season is much longer than other sports. Instead of a two month season, cheerleaders get a two month break," said Katie Kelly, 12. The cheer team at NHS proves that through their determination, dedication, and motivation, they are the heart of the school spirit and success at NHS.

By Brittany Stein
Photos: Megan Margroff

Top Left: The Husky mascot encourages fans to cheer along while cheerleaders Rachel Margroff, 11, Kelsey Smith, 9, and Laura Butner, 11, complete their cheer.
Top Right: Supported by their stunt groups, Nicole Tichinel, 9, executes a Liberty stunt and Ariana Wilt, 12, carries out a Bow-and-Arrow stunt. Katie Kelly, 12, and Sonya Thomas, 9, look on as they continue the cheer.
Bottom Right: Ashley Kinzey, 12, performs a single base stunt in front of the home crowd at the football game while her stunt group, Allie Benton, 11, Jessie Wilt, 12, and Haleigh Warner, 9, provide support.
Bottom Left: The seniors and their coaches come together at Senior Night for a quick photo. Megan Margroff, 12, says, "The thing I enjoy most about the team is the togetherness we share. We're like a family of eighteen girls and one boy who love and care for each other. It's the friends and memories we make that mean the most."

Coach Jones

"My favorite thing about coaching is watching the cheerleaders obtain individual and team goals they set in place at the beginning of their season. They mesh as ONE team representing ONE school."

Flying High

Ariana Wilt, 12, says "The most rewarding aspect of being a flyer is having the ability to perfect a stunt after attempting it multiple times."

Junior Varsity
Front Row: Kimberly Riggin, Olivia Hyson.
Back Row: Colleen Thurston, Marysa Wilson, Marley Kamp, Savannah Rafferty.

National Honor Society & Student Council

Working Together To Make A Difference

Student Council, the link between students and those with authority, works hard to get student affairs taken care of. Much of what the group does goes unnoticed by the rest of the school and their efforts are taken for granted. As leaders of the student body, Student Council members meet with Mr. Maddy and Mr. Reichenbecher once a month to discuss things that other students bring to their attention, such as student parking, lunch food, chewing gum, carrying water bottles, bathroom cleanliness, etc. These student interests obviously vary from month to month, so new items are always being discussed. "Being a member of Student Council allows me to be able to talk with administrators more often, and it also allows me to talk with students about issues in the school and communicate the problems back to the council," says junior Amanda Brenneman.

Along with this, Student Council members attend a legislative session, GCASC and MASC, and sponsor Winter Wish Week, War of the Classes, iFlurtz, Powder Puff Football, and many other school-wide activities for students.

Leading the academic spectrum of the school is the National Honor Society. Members of the National Honor Society are required to maintain a 90% average. The Honor Society at Northern contributes to the community by participating in Adopt-a-Highway, and also by "adopting" a family for Christmas this year. This group plans and prepares the academic pep rally, decorates the Christmas tree placed in the main lobby, and encourages other students to do well in school. "One of the service projects that we did this year in National Honor Society was to adopt-a-family for Christmas. It was rewarding to know that we made a difference in the lives of the children, providing them with gifts to make their holiday more enjoyable" said senior Ainsley Raley.

While not everything these groups do is recognized by the rest of the school, both work to help others, and they do it with a cheerful heart.

By Nicole Opel

Photos: Staff

Gang Green

During War of the Classes, the juniors work together to complete their task before the other classes finish. Student Council planned this student activity during the months before the Thanksgiving holiday. These games encourage students to have fun while working together as a team.

New Inductees

Being inducted into the nation's oldest, most prestigious scholar program for high school students is an honor. The Northern High School Honor Society has inducted eight new members this year. Inductees include Anita Opel, 12, Courtney Humberson, 11, Hanna Winter, 12, Thomas Holtschneider, 11, Dustin Platter, 12, Dustin Stough, 11, Justine Harvey, 11, and Lindsey Glotfelty, 11.

Say Cheese!

2007-2008 Student Council Members: Front Row: Jennifer Shaffer, Tanya Devine, Amanda Brenneman, Christen Bergstrom, Adria Graham, Nikkole Diehl. **Row 2:** Blake Harman, Kaitlynn Fratz, Ashton Carr, Linzi Sisler, Laura Butner, Ms. Harman. **Row 3:** Hanna Winter, Neil Buckel, Meredith Sussman, Karina Walker, Megan Wiley, Adam Finzel, Andrew Sisler. **Row 4:** Zachary Lipscomb, James Law, Brian Williams, Ian Aiken, Justine Harvey, Logan Bequette, Eric Espada, Jeremy Beitzel.

Put Your John Hancock Here

National Honor Society inductee Lindsey Glotfelty, 11, agrees to uphold the duties set by Northern's chapter of the Honor Society by signing her name.

Vhat are the benefits of students being members of

"[Being a member of National Honor Society] looks good on college applications, scholarship applications, and other things. It also raises the standards on academic performance." National Honor Society, Lindsey Glotfelty, 11		1
"National Honor Society is more than just an honor roll. Membership is based on outstanding scholarship (90%), haracter, leadership, and service. Membership in a nationally recognized Honor Society." National Honor Society Advisor, Mrs. Brenneman		2
'The benefits...include learning to work with others to reach concensus, understanding and using Parlimentary Procedure, and observing local and state government in action..." Student Council Advisor, Ms. Harman		3
'Students in Student Council get the honor to be a voice for other students. They work first-hand on issues within the school." Student Council President, Tanya Devine, 11		4

Sweetness

ior Ainsley Raley, secretary of Northern's chapter of National Honor Society, helps to carry boxes of cinnamon rolls that the Honor Society sold to raise money. Some of the money raised was used for the induction ceremony held at UNOs.

Picture Perfect

Juniors Tanya Devine, Sierra Pitman, Rachel Margroff, Amanda Brenneman, Meredith Sussman, and Karina Walker along with Ian Aiken, 10, set out on Lobbying Day in Annapolis to represent Northern High School's Student Council. Students were able to meet with Senator George Edwards and discuss bills that apply to the youth of Maryland.

May I Do the Honors?

Seniors Kelli Wilhelm and Emily Rosser gather decorations for the Christmas tree strategically placed in the school's lobby. It is tradition for the National Honor Society to decorate the Christmas tree each year. Rosser says, "It's one thing to sit in a meeting and second a motion, but it's an integral part of National Honor Society to give back to the community, contribute to our school, and enjoy time with fellow members."

Pennies for Patients

Juniors Meredith Sussman, Karina Walker, and Amanda Brenneman work together to gather the Pennies for Patients money boxes that Student Council gave each homeroom for donations. Money collected is sent to leukemia/ lymphoma patients to help cover medical expenses.

Right: Andrew Ganoe, 12, swings his body over his rival from Southern to plan out his next move.

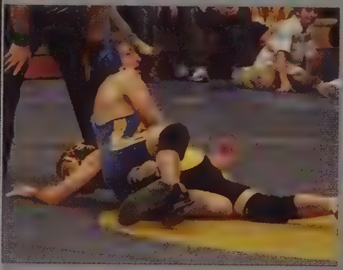
Coach's View

Coach Stough states, "I enjoy developing and guiding wrestlers into being the best athletes they can be. Another aspect of coaching I enjoy is seeing my wrestlers become productive members of society."

1st Time

In his first year as the assistant coach, Pete Stein enjoys, "Helping the guys maximize their potential."

Dylan Day, 10, uses his strength to overpower his opponent from Mt. Ridge.



Josh Duckworth, 11, dominates his opponent from Southern.

Ryan Finzel, 12, forces his opponent into a defensive position in hopes of getting a pin.

Front Row: Ryan Doerr, Kayley Green, James Donahue, Adam Finzel, Kameron Kamp, Matthew Thomas. **Middle Row:** Andrew Reynolds, Dustin Stough, Josh Duckworth, Dylan Day, Adam Moranduzzo, Alan Wingrove, Corey Sebold, Assistant Coach Pete Stein. **Back Row:** Coach Scott Stough, Justin Meyers, Andrew Ganoe, Chad Wilburn, Alexander Ruff, Ryan Finzel, and Zackery McCrobie.

2007- 2008 Wrestling

Date	Opponent	Place
Dec. 4 & 5	AMAC Tourn.	3rd
Dec. [illegible]	Hyndmon	54-18 W
	Keyser	40-35 W
Dec. 12	Frankfort	63-12 W
Dec. 14 & 15	Berkeley Springs	2nd
Dec. 19	Allegany	70-12 W
Dec. 20	Mt. Ridge	27-37 L
Jan. 15	Meyersdale	59-17 W
Jan. 16	Preston	72-12 W
	Keyser	39-25 W
Jan. 21	Southern	16-54 L
Jan. 25 & 26	Thomas Chev. Tou	18th
Jan. 30	Ft. Hill	57-21 L
Jan. 31	Southern	15-46 L
Feb. 6	East Farimont	36-37 L
	University	72-6 W
Feb. 23	Bi-County Tourn.	3rd
Feb. 22 & 23	Regionals	9th
Feb. 29 & Mar. 1	States	16th

Vim and Vigor

What can the human body handle?

Pain is temporary; pride is forever. The well-known philosopher Socrates says, "I swear it upon Zeus, an outstanding runner cannot be the equal of an average wrestler." This demanding sport takes pride, determination, perserverance, and most of all the sweat, blood, and hard work that can be seen in an outstanding wrestler. "It's a rough sport and can only be mastered with experience," quotes first year wrestler, Zack McCrobie, 12. From 103 pounds to 275, our Husky wrestlers give it their all. Wrestlers often go to extremes to maintain thier weight class. Most wrestlers have to lose weight by not eating for a few days in order to wrestle. Some have to run miles in three or more layers of clothes to drop a few pounds. Without the pain, there is no gain! The Northern Huskies' season was very successful; many wrestlers had a great season. Josh Duckworth, 11, made it to regionals, but just missed making it to States. "The team has a lot of fun, but most of all the intense one on one competition [is what I enjoy most,]" says Josh. Andrew Ganoe, 12, Dustin Stough, 11, and Kameron Kamp, 9 all advanced to the State Championship, with Stough, 160 pounds, placing fourth and Ganoe,152 pounds, placing second. "Wrestling is the best sport in the world because it's all about you," says "Hollywood", AKA, Andrew Ganoe. Congratulations to the whole team for a great season!

By Lindsay Wolf
Photos: Lindsay Wolf & Staff

Top Left: Junior Adam Moranduzzo eases his Meyersdale opponent into a pin to take the lead for the Huskies.
Top Right: Andrew Reynolds, junior, uses all his might to pin his opponent from Allegany. "Cutting weight and how good of shape you have to be in to go six minutes with a good wrestler," is what Andrew says is the most difficult aspect about wrestling.
Bottom Left: Freshman Jason Opel gets into position to battle one of his rivals. "There is a lot of hard work and dedication for a little bit of glory," he states.
Bottom Right: Justin Meyers, 9, and Kevin Knox, 11, wrestle each other at a home match due to lack of JV members on Allegany's team.

Either, Or

Wrestling is a challenging sport "because it is an individual sport and you either get all the glory or all the failure," says Matthew Thomas, 9.

No Guts, No Glory

Alan Wingrove, 10, says wrestling is a challenging sport "[because] you're going all out the whole time with another person who is going all out too."

Below: Dustin Stough, 11, forcefully puts his opponent on his back in hopes of a pin.

Left: Kameron Kamp, 9, is about to pin his opponent from Mt. Ridge.

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Envirothon

"[Envirothon] gives me an appreciation for the environment that I didn't have before; and because of this, I take care of our earth, which will not only affect my future, but the future of the generations to come as well" says senior Anita Opel, a three-year member of the team. The environmental program provides hands-on learning for students on the team in dealing with subjects in a number of areas, including the aquatics, wildlife, forestry, soils, and the 5th current issue.

Caring for and nurturing the Earth is something that people seem to be becoming more aware of, and more people every day are taking the extra step to keep the environment healthy. Not only does the Envirothon team promote caring for the environment, but the team also puts this into practice by carefully studying and interacting with nature on a regular basis.

The team practices by taking measurements, identifying trees and fish, taking soil tests, memorizing information, and using field guides to name, identify, and describe wildlife. All of these tasks help the team members to better understand many facets of the world around them.

By learning about nature and how the different aspects interact with each other, the team can share their knowledge with others and make a positive impact. Hopefully more people will learn to love and appreciate the environment in which they live, as the team does. If so, the team will certainly have achieved at least part of its goal.

By Nicole Opel
Photos: Staff

Digging Deep

The trip to Fort Necessity proved successful in helping to encourage native species growth by removing the invasive honeysuckle plants. Above, Roland Beaule, 12, uses a shovel and his own strength to remove the dead plant from the earth.

Out- none, In- one, Edge- half

Anita Opel, 12, uses a wedge prism to count the basal area at the county competition. The basal area determines the area of a certain piece of land occupied by countable tree trunks.

Take Nothing But Pictures, Leave Nothing But Footprints!

The results and scores from county competition this year for the Northern Lights Envirothon team were a disappointment, but the team still did well, losing by only seven points. Northern Lights I, consisting of Brittany Murray, 11, Nicole Opel, 12, Anita Opel, 12, and Megan McKewen, 11, won three of the five categories. Pictured above is the team posing for a quick snapshot after being awarded the 5th Issue prize.

How Far Across?

Junior Megan McKewen measures the width of a board during the Envirothon competition.

Thoughts on Envirothon

"Even if students do not enter these [natural resources or environmental] fields, they learn important skills like critical reading, problem solving, and teamwork." Ms. Kenyon, Advisor		1
"My favorite activity with the team was going to Swallow Falls State Park and exploring the park while learning the Leave No Trace principles. Megan McKewen, 11		2
"My favorite part of Envirothon would have to be hanging out with the team and learning about the environmental aspects that make Maryland special." Abbey Rugola, 12		3
"Envirothon will help me in the future because I am going to focus in environmental studies in college." Meredith Sussman, 11		4

One Fish, Two Fish, Red Fish, Blue Fish

Chelsea Giron, 10, and Kayley Green, 11, work together to identify a sample fish using the Dichotomous fish key at county competition.

Leave No Trace

Senior Anita Opel, juniors Megan McKewen and Brittany Murray, and outstanding Envirothon team advisor Ms. Kenyon practice Leave No Trace principles by walking across the bridge at Swallow Falls State Park. The team took an after-school trip to Swallow Falls a few weeks before competition to see first-hand the impacts of humans on the natural world. This is the 5th issue topic given to the Maryland Envirothon teams to study and explore.

There Is No "I" in Team

Anita Opel, 12, Nicole Opel, 12, and Megan McKewen, 11, use their combined knowledge to answer the challenging questions and solve the forestry problems on the county test. Tree ID's along with scientific names, DBH, tree height, and merchantable height are just a few of the numerous tasks presented during competition.

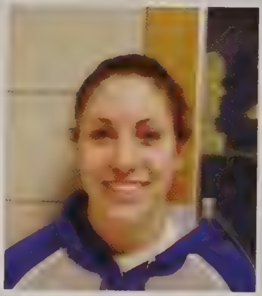
Not Just Playing in the Dirt

One of the most difficult parts of the Envirothon competition is the Soil Test. Taking slope measurements, soil horizon depth, and soil color can be very tedious when under pressure. Above, Meredith Sussman, 11, Karina Walker, 11, and Roland Beaule, 12, work to complete the Soils Test.

Rebound That Basketball! Megan Wiley, 11, recovers the ball for a rebound put-back. She says, "The most important part of being a post player is being agressive and pulling down the rebound for your team."

Tricia Wiley, 12

"To get ready before a game I usually listen to music and just concentrate on what I have to do in the game. I go over all the plays and get in a game mind-set."



Emily Menges, 11,

"The most difficult aspect of being on varsity as opposed to JV is that we always have to perform at game speed."

Alyssa Rounds, 10, says, "The most difficult part of being a post player is that you have to be stronger and more agressive than your opponent under the basket." Rebounding is just one of many skills needed to be successful.

Kasie Fratz, 12, takes her Southern rival to the basket. She says, "When a defender is playing me tight, I try to do the best I can to keep my composure and not get upset when things don't go my right way."

Tara Mckenzie, 9, drives the ball up the court away from her opponents. She says, "I stay intense because I want to win! I always stay confident in myself and in the team, and I just go out and play the game that I love!"

Front Row: Adria Graham, Sarah Voelkel, Brittany Stein, Danielle Brenneman, Kaitlynn Fratz, and Kara Savage. **Back Row:** Coach Steve Fratz, Kasie Fratz, Hannah Sines, Justine Harvey, Tricia Wiley, Megan Wiley, Emily Menges, and Coach Dave Yoder.

Varsity Basketball 2008

	Them	Us
Salisbury	19	73
Allegany	48	43
Keyser	36	64
Trinity Christian	37	61
Johnstown Christian	39	75
Bishop Walsh	39	56
Keyser	56	65
Union	55	75
Hampshire	44	48
Allegany	36	43
Southern	56	58
Frankfort	72	65
Union	55	64
Mt. Ridge	67	59
Bishop Walsh	52	75
Southern	53	34
Hampshire	54	45
Frankfort	68	66
Mt.Ridge	56	74
Ft. Hill	58	73

WINS:16 LOSSES: 6

What Time Is It?

It's Game Time!

Every time the Lady Huskies step onto the court, they have the mentality that it's game time, which is their time. This attitude serves as the team's motivation to always perform at the best of their ability. Adria Graham, 10, says, "The intensity of the crowd and the energy of my teammates are the main components that get me motivated before a game." The Lady Huskies have accomplished many things this season, including being the team to break Southern's win streak on their own home court. The winning ambition that the team possesses has driven them to uphold the best record of a girl's team since 1999. Justine Harvey, 11, says, "I knew we would have an awesome team this year and I wouldn't want to play with any other girls than the team I played with this year!" This 2007-2008 season is one that each and every player will remember, as they look back and see how their hard work and dedication paid off.

By Danielle Brenneman
Photos: Justin Rosenberger

Take It Up; Lay It In

Heart pounding, blood rushing, and all eyes are on you. Many emotions run through a player's mind while playing the game of basketball, especially while driving up the court with the sole intention of scoring.

Top Left: Kaitlynn Fratz, 9, leads her opponents down the court to score another basket for the Lady Huskies.

Bottom Left: Morgan Brosnihan, 9, focuses on her lay-up as her defenders follow behind.

Top Right: Whitney Murphy, 9, goes up for the shot and says, "When I am driving to the basket I try to beat my defender or attempt to draw the foul."

Bottom Right: Sarah Voelkel, 12, passes through her defender, going strong to the basket. She says, "[When attempting to make a lay-up] I focus on not being stuffed by my defender by keeping the ball away from them and making the basket."

Christina Ferrell, 9

"The most difficult aspect of basketball this year is knowing the season is coming to an end. It has been a great experience and I can't wait until next season!"

Tara Goff, 10

"As a new player on the basketball team, one adjustment I had to make, was learning to play with a whole new group of girls."

J.V. Basketball 2008

Us	Them	
52	20	Salisbury
26	17	Allegany
44	28	Keyser
50	24	Bishop Walsh
39	31	Keyser
36	39	Frankfort
46	52	Hampshire
36	26	Allegany
23	26	Southern
36	39	Frankfort
42	51	Mt. Ridge
46	37	Bishop Walsh
29	36	Southern
40	43	Hampshire
36	38	Frankfort

WINS: 7 LOSSES: 8

Front Row: Tara Goff, Christina Ferell, Whitney Murphy, Jennifer Shaffer, and Morgan Brosnihan. **Back Row:** Coach Pete Brosnihan, Terra McKenzie, Amber Miller, Alyssa Rounds, Hannah Fike, and Coach Donna Hoffman.

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NEGOTIATIONS

Mocking up success for the future

Who doesn't like a good fight? The members of the Northern High School Mock Trial team are all about making a statement and then defending their points of view. The Mock Trial team had a good year, despite having a relatively small team. Mock Trial is a great learning experience, especially for anyone who plans on going to law school after high school. Mock Trial helps students develop valuable speaking skills, as well as knowledge of legal practices and procedures that will be very helpful in the future.

Model UN mirrors actual United Nations activities. Students learn about a certain country and then debate other "countries" about real-world topics. They debate about certain issues such as the war and whether or not Iran should be given a nuclear weapon. "Getting to see the other kids' views on world problems," is the best part of Model UN, stated senior Elijah Lais. Mock Trial and Model UN provide great experiences for the students who participate in them.

By Amy Lander
Photos: Mock Trial Team

"Can you please repeat the question?"

Teresa Friend, 10, gets interviewed by her fellow attorney, Maddy Whittemore, 10.

Practice, Practice Practice

Mock Trial takes a lot of practice and a lot of reviewing. Hanna Winter, 12, and Sierra Pitman, 11, improve their skills by interviewing each other before their trial starts.

Setting up

Emily Rosser, 12, Laura Butner, 11, and Rachel Margroff, 11, get ready to start the trial at the District Court House.

Model Behavior

Hanna Winter, 12, figures out all there is to know about her country before her Model U.N. meeting.

Asking the hard questions.

[Mock Trial] "may help me choose a career in the legal field."

Rachel Margroff, 11

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Mock Trial] "is definitely more complicated than I hought it would be, but it is still lots of fun."

auren Adams, 9

2

'I will miss the suspenseful atmosphere that is created luring the tough trials."

Katie Kelly, 12

3

I enjoyed watching my students argue and lefend their views on resolutions.""

Mrs. Garlitz, Model UN Coach

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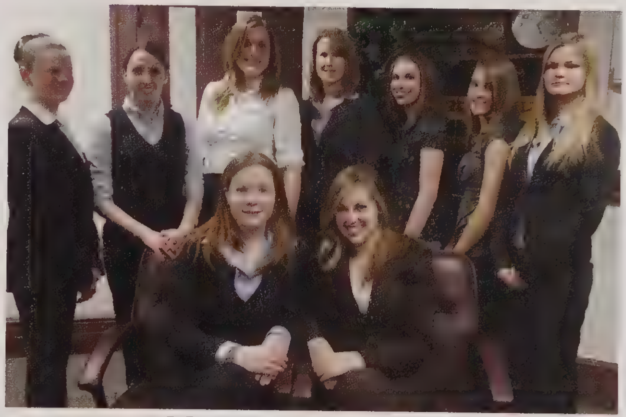
All in favor say "aye"

Emma Bass, 11, and Lauren Adams, 9, watch the case and learn how to compete with the big dawgs.

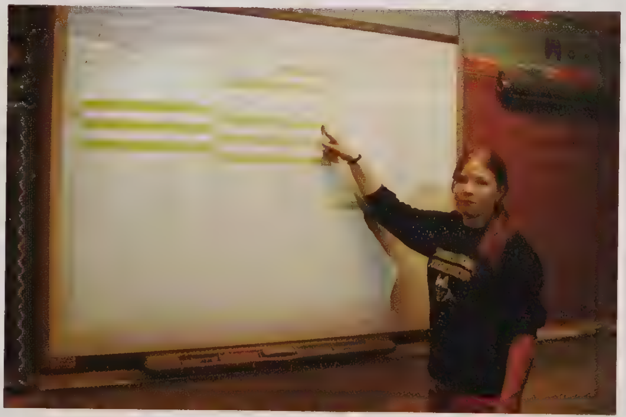
Order in the Court

Teresa Friend, 10, tries to keep a serious face as she is interviewed before her trial against Bishop Walsh.



Mock Trial Team 2008

Front Row: Abby Sherrard, 12, Katie Kelly, 12. **Back Row:** Teresa Friend, 10, Sierra Pitman, 11, Hanna Winter, 12, Maddy Whittemore, 10, Lauren Adams, 9, Laura Butner, 11.



Sorting out Countries

Abby Sherrard, 12, starts explaining all of the different countries to the other members of Model U.N.

Jeff Smith, 12, maintains control of the ball while under pressure from opposing coverage.

"For most of the seniors, we knew what to expect and have not [been] disappointed."
-Coach Opel

"We work together for a common goal and we accept a win or a loss as a whole team. We also realize that each of us have to work on certain things ourselves to make each other better."
-Thomas Holtschneider, 11

Garrett Rayner, 10, shoots a foul shot to repay the opponents for their penalties.

Teddy Linton, 10, presses close coverage, preventing the ball's advance toward the basket.

Zak Brosnihan, 12, readies himself to block a three point shot as teammate Dustin Platter, 12, guards another opposing player.

Front Row: Jessie Shoemaker, Austin Doerr, Steven Holtschneider, Tyler Wilt, Teddy Linton, Matthew Gibson, Alex Smith. **Back Row:** Matt Paape, Cody Humberson, Bradley Sisler, Dylan Miller, Garrett Rayner, Austin Tombley.

2008- Junior Varsity

	Them	Us
Salisbury	37	39
Allegany	49	38
Southern	58	42
Frankfort	55	53
Keyser	32	43
Salisbury	22	38
Bishop Walsh	32	47
Allegany	65	53
Southern	42	39
Frankfort	38	42
Hampshire	35	40
Fort Hill	33	47
Mt. Ridge	35	41
Keyser	50	33
Hampshire	40	35
Bishop Walsh	49	42
Mt. Ridge	39	32
Fort Hill	51	39

WINS: 8 LOSSES: 10

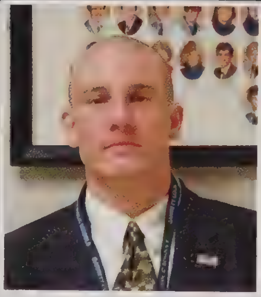
Shooting For Victory

Close Calls

The Huskies boys' basketball team had a close season this year. With nine wins and twelve losses, Northern showed they could be a threat throughout the season, but had a hard time really maintaining a good winning streak. Although the Huskies beat Southern in their second meeting of the season, they often struggled against teams such as Salisbury and Frankfort.

Despite these difficulties, the Huskies made it into the first round of playoffs. One of the top scorers, senior Kory Gibson, said," It feels very good to make it to playoffs after all the ups and downs our team has had in the regular season." Altogether the Huskies had a very successful season.

By Chris Spiker
Photos: Tony Messina



"My hopes are to continue to get better and to compete annually for the league, area, region,and state titles."
-Coach Edwards

Top Left: Kory Gibson, 12, goes up to dunk for a two point gain. Kory says, "My most memorable moment this season was when I was recognized for becoming a 1000 point scorer in my varsity career."

Top Right: Alex Smith, 10, protects the ball with unyielding determination.

Bottom Left: Thomas Holtschneider, 11, rushes in to deter the progression of the opposing player.

Bottom Right: Matthew Gibson, 10, passes the ball to give the team a better position to score.

"It will take me a while for me to be ready to go all out full contact, but I am ready for next sport season."
-William Herpel, 11

2008- Varsity

	Them	Us
Salisbury	67	[illegible]
Allegany	[illegible]	64
Southern	41	47
Frankfort	58	54
Liberty	60	68
Union	75	81
Keyser	82	72
Salisbury	81	55
Bishop walsh	61	62
Allegany	66	59
Southern	32	70
Frankfort	47	77
Union	75	89
Hampshire	57	55
Fort hill	51	63
Mt Ridge	42	55
Keyser	55	81
Hampshire	90	61
Bishop Walsh	62	59
Mt Ridge	31	53
Fort Hill	67	73

WINS: 10 LOSSES: 12

Front Row: Dustin Platter, Thomas Holtschneider, Jason Green, Garrett Gulledge, Jeffery Smith. **Back Row:** Coach Opel, Logan Bequette, Trevor Tombley, Kory Gibson, Edward Herpel, Zak Brosnihan, William Herpel, Coach Edwards.

Nurturing Bodies: Plants and Animals

From feeding to growing, plants and animals are being well taken care of!

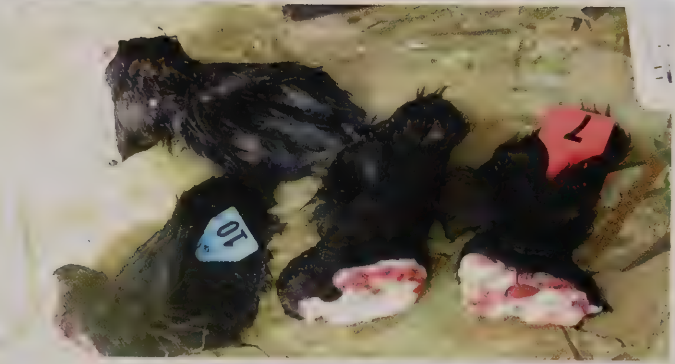
Future Farmers of America and Agriculture Classes

Living in Garrett County is not quite like living in a city. Instead of being involved in fashion contests, some students here are in agriculture class and are members of FFA. They participate in dairy shows or other farming contests. Future Farmers of America helps students gain knowledge about farming and agriculture that may be helpful in their future farming experiences. "My favorite part of FFA is going to conventions and compet[ing] against other teams across the country or even the world," says Ethan Broadwater, 12. Mr. McRobie, FFA leader and agriculture teacher, says, "[Students] take what they learn in the classroom and apply [it] to hands-on career development events, which are basically contests. Helping students learn new material and seeing them succeed beyond their belief [is my favorite part about teaching Future Farmers Of America.]" This club has many advantages that numerous students are interested in, especially because of the rural area we live in. In order to be in FFA, a student must have taken an agriculture class or must currently be in an agriculture class. Another requirement in order to be in FFA is to be enrolled in the Agriculture Experience Program, which is supervised by Mr. McRobie or the student's parents. Agriculture class provides the students with basic knowledge and helps them get prepared for their future. Taking agriculture class and being involved in FFA "increases our awareness of the importance of agriculture and how it affects our lives," says Charles Custer, 10.

By Lindsay Wolf
Photos: Jeffrey Smith

Water Away

Kenny Weaver, 12, waters the plants in Agriculture class to keep them alive and heathy. "[In the greenhouse] I enjoy. . . going out each day to see how much my plants have grown, and feeling refreshed," Kenny says.

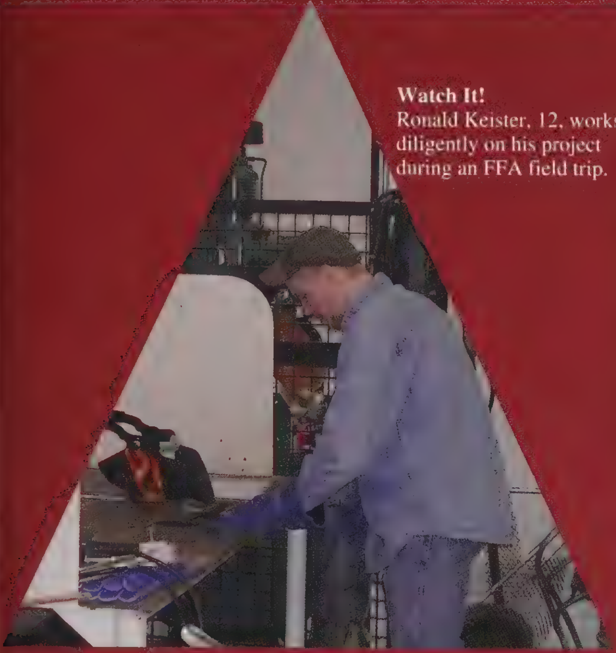


Ear of ... Cow?

Do these look familiar? That's right. They are cow ears from the butcher shop! Students in Mr. McCrobie's class learn how to appropriately tag the ears of cows and other animals.

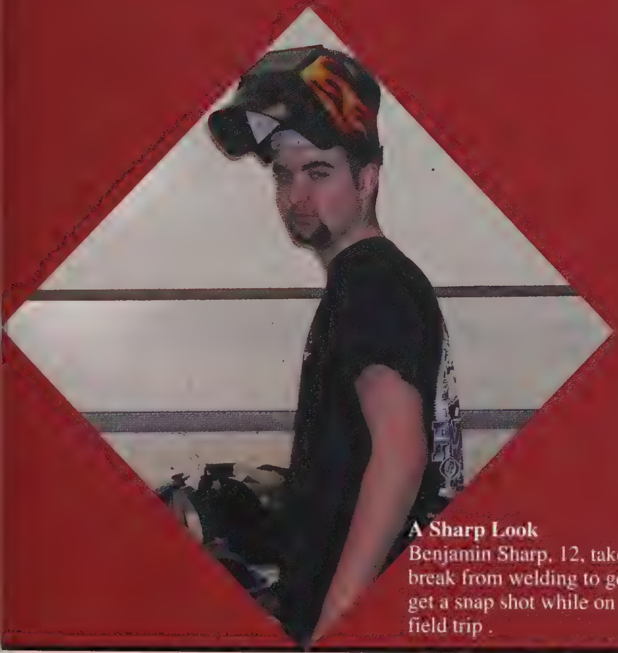
The Tool Man

One of the tasks that the students in Agriculture class do is making stools. Jordan Fratz, 10, drills the wood in order to be one step closer to his final project. "[We] learn how to work with different tools and make precise cuts," Jordan says.



Watch It!
Ronald Keister, 12, works diligently on his project during an FFA field trip.

"[I joined FFA] to get a chance to travel and compete] against other FFA hapters in Maryland." Megan Bittinger, 12		F
"I enjoy inspiring students to achieve their est and watching them demonstrate their nowledge." Mr. McRobie, Teacher		F
"I take a steer and hog to the fair every year, nd I like being involved with them." Kasondra Broadwater, 12		A
"I haved lived on a farm since I was orn and FFA was a place where I could earn more about agriculture." Ashley Rodeheaver, 11		!



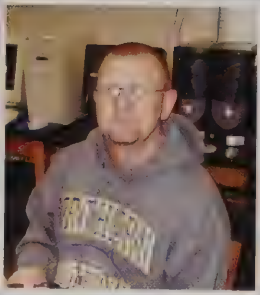
A Sharp Look
Benjamin Sharp, 12, takes a break from welding to get get a snap shot while on a field trip .

All A-Blaze
The main event in Garrett County during the end of the summer is the Garrett County Agricultural Fair in McHenry. Many students at our school participate in shows at the fair and compete against others. Senior Jessie Wilt shows his horse, Blaze, in the Western Stock Class of the competition.

Order...Order
Tricia Wiley, senior and president of FFA, starts the group's monthly meeting. As a club, the members and officers discuss fundraisers, recent events, upcoming shows, and other important topics necessary to the running of FFA.

Which one Do I Want?
Toby Maust, 12, carefully sorts out the different soils in his Agriculture class.

Ready, Set, THROW
Trey Beasom, 11, looks to record another strikeout while helping his team to an impressive 9-1 victory over rival Allegany. In this same game, Trey also hit a home run.



Coach Carr
"Seeing the players grow as young men throughout their time in our program," is the most rewarding part of coaching baseball.

Matt Watson, 11
The best parts of the season were "winning" and "giving the seniors the season they have earned and deserve."

SAFE!
Senior Matt Sisler slides to home plate, giving his team the early advantage in a close game.

It Takes Teamwork
The varsity baseball team listens to the game plan from Coach Carr to prepare for the next inning.

Play Ball!
Dan Warnick, 11, eyes the ball to decide if he should swing or wait for a better pitch from the Fort Hill player.

Varsity
First Row: Zachary Lipscomb, Thomas Holtschneider, Tim Miller, and Dan Warnick. **Second Row:** Coach Carr, Patrick Brady, Justin Rosenberger, Ben Diehl, Matt Sisler, Jeffrey Smith, and Brandon Beachy. **Third Row:** Trey Beasom, Matt Watson, Kyle Gillum, Jared Rodeheaver, and Ryan Finzel.

Varsity Baseball 2008

	Us	Them
Ferndale	11	1
Hancock	15	2
Keyser	6	1
Hampshire	13	3
Allegany	7	3
Southern	3	1
Fort Hill	7	2
Keyser	10	3
Frankfort	16	3
Frankfort	16	1
Bishop Walsh	4	3
Mountain Ridge	4	8
Allegany	9	1
Bishop Walsh	10	0
Salisbury	10	7
Salisbury	10	0
Southern	5	4
Fort Hill	8	7

WINS: 17 LOSSES: 1

Field of Dreams

The Pursuit of Perfection

From childhood, individuals dream of being the all-star athlete who hits the walk off home run, or the pitcher who closes the game, recording a no hitter. What can only be the dream for some athletes is the reality for the baseball players at Northern. The team advanced to the championship game last year, but suffered a disappointing loss when their opponent came from behind, taking home the trophy. This year the baseball team was almost as successful, finishing the regular season with 17 wins and only one loss. The team began the season on an 11 game winning streak, but Mountain Ridge handed the Huskies the first loss of the season, winning 8-4. Despite the loss, the team rebounded, beating Allegany 9-1 the following day, and winning its final six games. The Huskies advanced to the regional semifinals this season and were also the winners of the AMAC conference. Senior Ben Diehl commented that the best part of the season was "sweeping Southern and winning the AMAC." Even though the team fell short of the state championship, the Huskies had a fantastic season and were living a dream while trying to pursue perfection.

By Ainsley Raley
Photos: Ms. Theriot

Matt Sisler, 12
The best part of playing baseball was, "having the chance to do even more than what we did last year."

Catch Me If You Can

Top Left: Alex Smith, 10, plays the catcher position for the JV squad. Alex has a very important role on the team by helping to give several different pitchers signals.

Ready, Set, THROW

Top Right: Hoping for a homerun, Dylan Miller, 10, prepares for whatever the Bishop Walsh pitcher throws at him.

Swing Batter Batter

Bottom Left: Patrick Brady, 12, waits patiently for the pitch in an attempt to bring his teammate home in the game against rival Allegany.

Words of Wisdom

Bottom Right: While in the outfield, Brandon Beachy, 11, has a quick chat with his coach before the inning begins.

Ryan Finzel, 12
The team prpepared by being "really relaxed and maybe [goofing] off too much before the games."

Junior Varsity Baseball 2008

Them	Us	
6	10	Keyser
1	12	Hampshire
0	11	Bishop Walsh
6	3	Allegany
0	10	Fort Hill
4	6	Keyser
8	11	Frankfort
6	3	Frankfort
6	8	Meyersdale
5	4	Meyersdale
3	9	Bishop Walsh
7	10	Allegany
7	4	Southern
4	9	Southern
1	13	Fort Hill
0	4	Mountain Ridge
4	5	Mountain Ridge

WINS: 12 LOSSES: 4

Junior Varsity

First Row: Adam Finzel, Andrew Sisler, Andrew Umbel, and Andrew Wilhelm. **Second Row:** Jacob Bosley, Brian Umbel, Teddy Linton, Alex Smith, Michael Burns, and Justin Shaw. **Third Row:** Steven Holtschneider, Michael Rugola, Garrett Rayner, Trevor Tombley, Dylan Miller, and Cody Humberson.

Bump Set Spike It!

Olympia Twyman, 10

"As a first year player on the volleyball team, I really enjoyed the thrill and tension at the games--especially my first game!"

Maddy Whittemore, 9

"The hardest part about being a first year player on the team is having to think about where you need to be to make the right play."

A Closer Look at the Basics of Volleyball...

Many people would define volleyball as a fun recreational activity that everyone can enjoy. Little do these people know that volleyball consists of much more. It requires not only physical strength, but mental strength as well. Taylor Maltba,10, says, "Volleyball takes a lot of concentration, and it's difficult figuring out what I need to do next to make the play." Competitive volleyball is a challenge that most people do not get to experience.

Competitive volleyball is filled with rules, strategies, and goals; however, these goals aren't any good unless the team believes they can achieve them. This year, the volleyball team set out to achieve their goals, but encountered some disappointments along the way. Despite these obstacles, the team remained united.

By Danielle Brenneman
Photos: Justin Rosenberger

The Essentials...

Some would say that hustle, drive, and heart win games. This is true to some extent, but actual skills are also required. The techniques that go into serving, passing, hitting, and blocking must be practiced daily. Practicing these skills, improving on them, and then performing them make a successful team.

Top Left: Danielle Brenneman,12, and Nicole Opel,12, set up their defense and go up for the block.

Top Right: Cassie Doerr,10, uses her underhand serve to place the ball in the correct spot on the other side of the net.

Bottom Right: Johanna Winter,12, reaches high for a hit that will obtain a point for the team.

Bottom Left: Alyssa Rounds,10, demonstrates excellent form as she passes the ball to a teammate at the net.

Varsity

Front Row: Lindsay Wolf, Danielle Brenneman. **Middle Row:** Katy Umbel, Bethany Shaw, Lacey Swauger, Chelsie Glotfelty, and Emma Bass. **Back Row:** Coach Jackie Hawkins, Hannah Sines, Courtney Humberson, Johanna Winter, Nicole Opel, Tanya Devine, and Coach Jessica Fratz.

Varsity Volleyball 2007

	Us	Them
Allegany	2	3
Keyser	0	3
Frankfort	0	3
Southern	0	3
Ft.Hill	1	3
Mt. Ridge	2	3
Bishop Walsh	3	2
Meyersdale	0	3
Mt. Ridge	1	3
Ft. Hill	0	3
Allegany	1	3
Hampshire	1	3
Bishop Walsh	3	1
Salisbury	3	0

WINS: 3 LOSSES: 12

K-I-L-L! Hannah Sines, 11, says, "The best part about playing the front row is knowing I have the power to spike the ball in the other team's face!"

Courtney Humberson, 11
"The most difficult aspect of the game is timing. You have to make sure you get to the ball in time to get a good hit or pass."

Jessica Baker,10, focuses on her serve by applying her own routine. "I bounce the ball five times, spin it, give it a toss and serve the ball."

Lindsay Wolf,12, sets up Johanna Winter,12, for the kill. Although setting may appear easy, Lindsay says, "It's hard getting to the ball quick enough to make a good set."

Maddy Whittemore, 9, uses her coach's advice and follows the ball to the line.

Bethany Shaw, 11
"My favorite part of volleyball was being on varsity and being a part of a team."

Junior Varsity Volleyball 2007

Them	Us	
0	2	Allegany
2	1	Keyser
2	0	Frankfort
1	2	Southern
2	0	Ft.Hill
1	2	Mt. Ridge
1	2	Bishop Walsh
2	0	Meyersdale
2	0	Mt. Ridge
2	0	Ft. Hill
0	2	Allegany
2	0	Hampshire
0	2	Bishop Walsh
1	2	Salisbury
0	2	Southern

WINS: 8 LOSSES: 7

Junior Varsity
Front Row: Taylor Maltba, Jessica Baker, and Kerah Umbel. **Back Row:** Coach Jackie Hawkins, Chelsie Custer, Cassie Doerr, Maddy Whittemore, Alyssa Rounds, Erin Beiler, Olympia Twyman, and Coach Jessica Fratz.

You're the One, 1-1! Ashley Wilhelm, 12, demonstrates good form as she pitches the ball to her opponent. Good pitches are essential to the game.

Leah Frazee, 12

"The biggest learning experience I've had this season is learning that a team is also a family. When the team encourages and helps each other out, we are brought closer together."

Cindy Smearman, 10

"My favorite position in softball is third base. That is where I have always played and playing there always keeps me busy."

Whitney Murphy, 9, catches a strike and holds it as she awaits the ump's call. She says, "The best part about catching, in my opinion, is the excitement of throwing a person out at second or third when they try to steal."

As a the only left-handed batter on the ladies' softball team, Carrie Fike, 11, uses that characteristic to her advantage. She says, "One advantage I have is that when I bunt down the baselines, I am closer to first base and can get there faster than others."

Jessica Baker, 10, focuses on her technique as she pitches the ball. She says, "It is difficult to stay focused on the catcher while everyone from the other team is yelling and our team is cheering."

Front Row: Abby Sherrard and Carrie Fike. **Middle Row:** Caitlin Spear, Megan Sisler, Katy Umbel, Kara Savage, Ashley Wilhelm, Danielle Brenneman. **Back Row:** Coach Gale Keller, Coach Carol Humberson, Leah Frazee, Andi Miller, Emily Manges, Courtney Humberson, Mandi Fazenbaker, Kasie Fratz, and Coach Brenda Umbel.

Varsity Softball 2008

	Us	Them
Allegany	0	15
Hampshire	7	9
Keyser	3	14
Frankfort	0	13
Keyser	5	17
Hampshire	3	16
Southern	0	10
Ft. Hill	2	12
Mt. Ridge	3	13
Southern	0	8
Ft. Hill	1	11
Allegany		
Salisbury	13	7
Salisbury	7	2
Bishop Walsh	4	6
Bishop Walsh	4	10
Mt. Ridge	0	13

WINS: 2 LOSSES: 14

All for One

One for All, Together We Stand, Together We Fall.

The Lady Huskies experienced a bumpy road this season; however, they still managed to remain united as a team. The girls experienced a change this year with former coach Damon Schmuck leaving, and then being replaced with Northern alum Carol Humberson. Kara Savage, 11, says, "Coach Humberson takes things a little more serious and we do more drills than we used to."

A new coach is a big adjustment for any team. Although the Lady Huskies did not have the winning season they were looking for, they never once gave up. The Lady Huskies softball team is one that, over time, has come together and will hopefully grow and improve in the years to come.

By Danielle Brenneman
Photos: Justin Rosenberger

Hits, Runs, Score!

In the game of softball, it is crucial to focus each and every time you are at the plate preparing to bat. It is important to watch the ball, all the way in, in order to hit and make plays happen. It is also important when you are on defense, to stop these plays from occuring.

Top Left: Becca Engle, 9, demonstrates great form in the outfield by using both hands to secure the fly ball. She says, "When a fly ball is coming, it is hard to judge where it is going to go."
Top Right: Andi Miller, 12, carefully watches the ball as she is preparing to hit.
Bottom Left: Emily Manges,11, swings through as she hits the ball.
Bottom Right: Brittany Mallow, 10, takes a swing in an attempt for a base hit. She says, "The hardest thing about batting is reading the speed of the pitcher and adjusting to their specific pitches."

Ashleigh Clapper, 9
"The thing that I enjoyed most about softball this year was how we all came together. We have come to work great together because we set our differences aside and became a team"

Megan Sisler, 11
"The most difficult part of softball is when I am behind the plate and I have to watch the runners and make sure that they don't steal."

JV Softball 2008

Us	Them	
0	10	Allegany
9	12	Frankfort
0	10	Mt.Ridge
3	8	Hampshire
16	6	Keyser
6	16	Frankfort
7	7	Keyser
2	17	Mt. Ridge
8	14	Hampshire
1	17	Southern
3	16	Ft. Hill
2	15	Allegany
0	11	Ft. Hill
4	13	Bishop Walsh
10	4	Bishop Walsh

WINS: 2 LOSSES: 13 TIES: 1

Front Row: Jessica Baker, Sonya Thomas, Cindy Smearman. **Middle Row:** Laura Schroyer, Ashley Eggleston, Whitney Murphy, Ashleigh Clapper. **Back Row:** Coach Gale Keller, Coach Carol Humberson, Amber Miller, Hannah Fike, Brittany Mallow, Becca Engle.

Against The Odds

"By far, beating Southern [was the best part of the season]. You could lose every game but that one and it would be a successful season," stated quarterback Garrett Gulledge, 12.

Justin Meyers, 9, remembers his favorite moment of the season, "When varsity won the homecoming game."

Staying in the Game

Awesome team, bad luck. The Huskies had a hard season, playing teams that could almost be considered 2A schools. But the dawgs fought through and had a season worth remembering. There were a lot of tough games, such as the Allegany and Fort Hill games. "We stayed together as a team and knew we could compete with the teams we played this season. We also wanted that sixth straight victory over Southern," stated Justin Rosenberger, 12, about how the team stayed together this season. Despite these hard losses, the players never gave up hope. They pulled together to defeat Southern in an amazing 34-6 victory, which was a great ending to an imperfect season.

By Chris Spiker
Photos: Tony Messina

Top Left: The Huskies line up to get ready to block for their lead quarterback so that he can put together an effective play.

Top Right: Three of Northern's defensive players work together to stop the opposition from making it to the end zone.

Bottom Left: Steven Funk,12, carries the football towards the Huskies' goal line for a touchdown.

Bottom Right: Dylan Miller, 10, rushes the ball up the field in hopes of achieving a first down.

First Row: Guy Vignoli, Daniel Uphold, Andrew Sisler, Carlos Howard, Kameron Kamp, Austin Tombley, Tyler Wilt, Matthew Thomas, Adam Finzel. **Second Row:** Thomas Kovach, Douglas Butner, Dom Dolan, Michael Burns, Alex Smith, Teddy Linton, Brian Umbel. **Third Row:** Jacob McKenzie, Kenny Friend, Tyler Bowman, Cameron Barone, Randall Guthrie, Robert Hey, Levi Fazenbaker, Chad Wilbum, Nicholas Owens, Adam Brenneman, Garrett Rayner, Dylan Miller, Alexander Ruff, Jason Opel, Jessie Shoemaker. **Back Row:** Justin Meyers, Kenya Williams, Mark Miller, Aaron Klein, Trevor Tombley.

2007- Junior Varsity

	Us	Them
Southern	36	14
Mt. Ridge	0	13
Hampshire	24	8
Berlin	36	0
Allegany	8	20
Frankfort	0	41
Keyser	12	24
Myersdale	20	20
Ft. Hill	8	52
Southern	6	6

WINS: 3 LOSSES: 5 TIES: 2

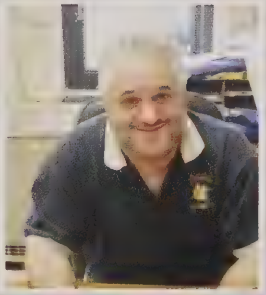
Beating up on Southern
The team holds up their helmets proudly in celebration of their victory over Southern.

"Beating Southern helped to take the bite out of a disappointing season."- Coach Carr

Avoiding the Tackle
Looking for extra yards, Blair Silbaugh, 12, runs past the opponent's defense.

Words of Wisdom
Coach Moranduzzo peps up the JV football team before their game.

Making the pass
Pictured below, Garrett Gulledge, 12, tries to make a big play with a pass to Josh Duckworth, 10.



Coach Moranduzzo said his coaching "helps [the players] to work together as a team instead of individuals."

2007- Varsity

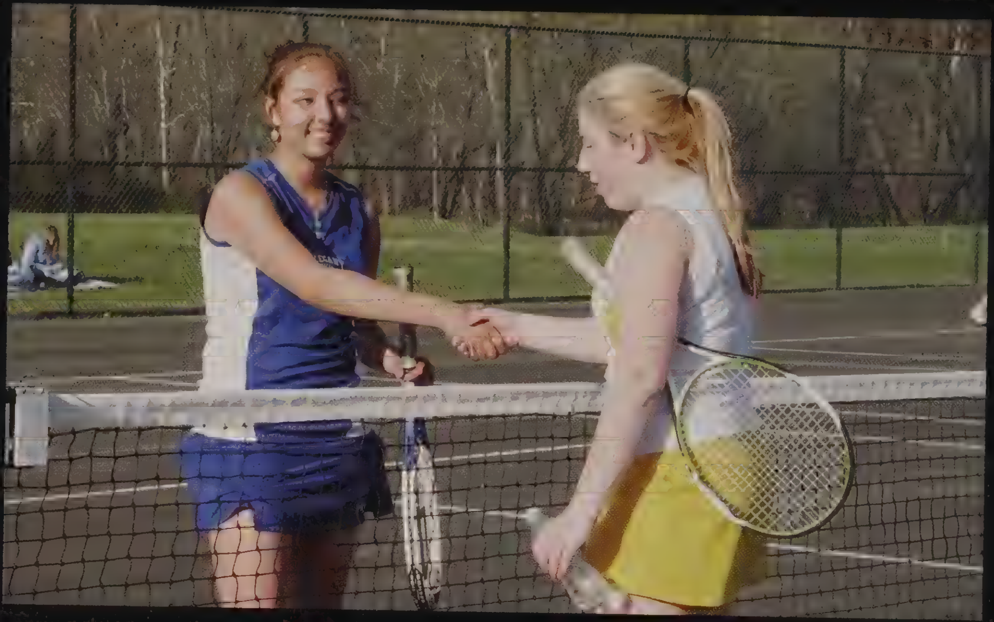
	Us	Them
Smithsburg	0	27
Williamsport	12	0
Keyser	22	48
Allegany	8	25
BW	45	36
Mt. Ridge	14	35
Hancock	55	0
Ft. Hill	6	45
Frankfort	41	20
Southern	34	6

WINS: 5 LOSSES: 5

Front Row: Mathew Wiland, Blair Silbaugh, Randy Wiley, Josh Duckworth. **Second Row:** Kory Kamp, Gesse Glotfelty, Tyler Opel, Adam Miller, Jared Rodeheaver, Kyle Gillum, Eric Espada, Steven Funk, Ryan Seaman, Tyler Masters. **Third Row:** Eddie Lytle, Adam Moranduzzo, Dylan Day, Steven Taylor, J.P. Law, Bobby Wingrove, Matt Mason. **Last Row:** Zachary Fratz, Stephen Hyson, Justin Rosenberger, Ben Diehl, Garrett Gulledge, Ryan Evans.

Finishing Strong

Jordyn Milton, 11, shakes hands with her Allegany opponent after a long, hard-fought match.



"I love going out, playing hard, and winning."
Lacey Swauger, 11

"My options were track or tennis, [and] who wants to run for fun?"
Trevor Devore, 11

High Racquet

Hanna Winter, 12, and Amy Lander, 12, slap racquets in between points in their match against Frankfort.

Reaching Out

Austin Doerr, 9, stretches out with all of his strength in order to return a volley.

Swing Through

Jennifer Shaffer, 9, executes a forehand swing in hopes of getting a "winner" against Frankfort.

First Row: Lauren Adams, Morgan Brosnihan, Jordyn Milton, Lacey Swauger, Jenny Shaffer. **Second Row:** Chelsi Custer, Cassie Doerr, Karina Walker, Teresa Friend, Hanna Winter, Amy Lander

2008- Varsity Women

	Them	Us
Allegany	2	4
Fort Hill	5	2
Mt. Ridge	2	5
Allegany	4	3
Hampshire	3	4
Keyser	2	5
Frankfort	4	3
Fort Hill	5	2
B.W.	5	2
Frankfort	6	1
Mt. Ridge	4	3
Southern	5	2
Southern	6	1

WINS: 4 LOSSES: 9

A Fresh Start

New season with a fresh new team

Tennis takes a lot of learning and a lot of individual work to master. This year's girls' tennis team was a very young team full of girls who were very willing to learn everything there was to know about tennis. By comparison, the boys' team members had much more previous experience.

Both teams had a hard season and some disappointing losses. Despite all of the heart breaking games, the boys' and girls' tennis team stayed together and through it all had a fun season that ended with three players making it to the regional tournament.

By Amy Lander
Photos: Staff

Top Left: Chelsi Custer, 10, and Morgan Brosnihan, 9, pair up in doubles for an exciting match up against Keyser.

Top Right: Chris Wood, 12, starts the match off right by "aceing" his Allegany opponent.

Bottom Left: Ian Aiken, 10, smacks his overhead shot to prevent the opponent from returning the ball.

Bottom Right: Teresa Friend, 10, rushes forward to save the point and volley at the net.

"I am excited about having Steve Dauses helping me coach this year. He really works well with the kids and makes tennis fun again." Coach Lander

[The hardest part of having a young team is] "Getting practice time between matches to correct bad habits and work on areas of improvemnt." Coach Wengerd

2008- Varsity Men

	Us	Them
Allegany	5	2
Fort Hill	1	6
Mt. Ridge	2	5
Allegany	1	6
Keyser	0	7
Fort Hill	2	5
Hampshire	4	3
B.W.	1	6
Mt. Ridge	2	5
Southern	1	6
Southern	2	5

WINS: 2 LOSSES: 9

First Row: Jeffery Trautwein, Eric Espada, Chris Wood, Blake Harman. **Second Row:** Ian Aiken, Austin Doerr, Cory Stout, Zach Trautwein, Trevor Devore

"It's All In The Hips"

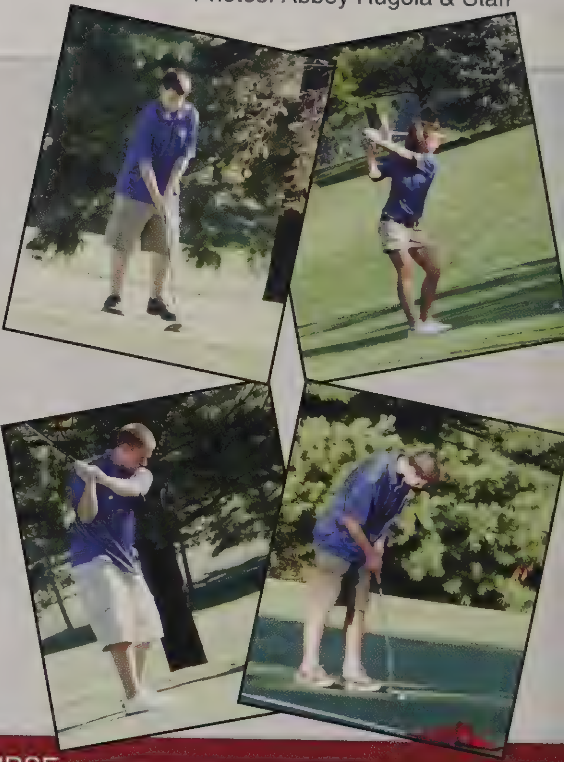
Get Pumped!
"[I] think of Carson [Kamp] and go to the putting green and listen to my Ipod or hit balls off the range," says Christen Bergstrom, sophomore, about how she gets ready before a match.

Jammin'
Before a match, Austin Doerr, freshman, says, "I listen to one of my favorite songs."

Technique is Everything

Many of you have seen the movie "Happy Gilmore" with Adam Sandler as the main character. Before he would swing his club, he would think, "It's all in the hips." Numerous people think that golf is a laid back, easy sport; however, golfing takes skill, determination, and patience just like any other sport. Some people need a saying or some thoughts to go through their heads in order to stay calm, like Happy Gilmore. Depending on the wind or the slope of the course, players must use their talent and expertise to do their best. Senior Jeffrey Smith says, "It's hard to concentrate on 18 holes because it is so slow-paced." Concentration and motivation are very important in the game of golf.

By Lindsay Wolf
Photos: Abbey Rugola & Staff



Top Left: Austin Doerr, freshman, putts in order to get a bogey, which is one under par. **Top Right:** Competing at Regionals, Christen Bergstrom, sophomore, hopes to stay at par with a shot close to the hole. **Bottom Left:** Michael Rugola, sophomore, gets ready to boom it down the middle of the fairway. **Bottom Right:** Senior Andrew Joslin putts the ball so it will drop smoothly in the hole.

BLACK ROCK GOLF COURSE
The team traveled to Black Rock to compete at the 2007 Regional Championship.

CAUGHT IN A TRAP
The sand trap is one of the most difficult things to handle while golfing. Ian Aiken masters this problem.

Gotta Love It!
"Being able to get good scores and being able to get the ball in the hole," are sophomore Tyler Warnick's favorite parts about golf.

Follow Through
As Jeffrey Smith, senior, hits the ball, he always knows to follow through with the shot in order for it to be a better putt.

Practice Makes Perfect
Zak Brosnihan, senior, practices to perfect his putt so he can sink it.

Lining It Up
Concentrating on the ball, Matt Sisler, senior, lines up the putt exactly, so he can drain it into the hole.

School's Out!
Edward Herpel, junior, claims, "Getting out of school early," is his favorite part about golf.

2007 Golf Team

Date	Meet	Place
8/16	Northern Tourn.	1st
8/22	Mt. Ridge, Keyser	1st
8/28	Keyser	1st
9/6	Southern	Tie
9/10	AMAC Cham.	3rd
9/12	Preston/Allegany/ Ft. Hill	1st
9/18	Allegany	1st
9/19	Preston	2nd
9/27	Garrett Champ.	1st
10/2	Fort Hill	1st

Front Row: Matthew Gibson, Tyler Warnick, Christen Bergstrom, Matthew Sisler, Jeffrey Smith, and Coach Bergstrom. **Back Row:** Coach Glotfelty, Michael Rugola, Ian Aiken, William Thatcher, Zak Brosnihan, Andrew Joslin, Edward Herpel, Austin Doerr, and Coach Joslin.

Ryan Bowser, 12, runs in many events at track meets. He is not only successful at track; he won the state championship in cross country. "It proves that all my hard work and dedication have paid off and it's great to be the fastest guy in the state."

Todd Dyche, Girls' Coach, feels that, "Coaching the girls' track team is pure enjoyment. Watching them succeed beyond their own belief is the best part about it."

Assistant Coach Fazenbaker says, "I enjoy pushing the girls at practice and watching them succeed in meets."

Coach Zach Bittinger, Ryan Bowser, Cody Brenneman, William Herpel, Elijah Lais, Mitchell Hall, Coach Jerry Herpel, and Christopher Wood get pepped up before their cross country meet. Cody states that he likes cross country better than track because, "We don't have to practice and you only have to run one event."

High jumping six feet, five inches, Roland Fisher, 12, demolishes the school record that was previously held at six feet. "The most difficult part about high jump is being able to bend your back and getting the form down."

Mitchell Hall, 12, and Elijah Lais, 12, run in a cross country meet. Elijah and Mitch are also on the boys' track team.

Front Row: Ryan Beiler, Cody Brenneman, Brody Fike, Francis Moravetz, William Thatcher, Domonic Dolan, Zachery Beal, and John Wilt. **Back Row:** Coach Bowser, Eric Maxim, William Herpel, Cory Stout, Roland Fisher, Mitchell Hall, Ryan Bowser, Jeremy Beitzel, Steven Taylor, Andrew Beitzel, and Coach Lais.

2008 Boys' Track

Date	Opponent	Outcome
April 3	Southern/Frankfort	Cancelled
April 10	M.d/ W.v Relays	8th
April 14	Meyersdale	2nd
April 19	Southern Invitational	2nd
April 26	Calhoun Invitational	2nd
April 30	AMAC	8th
May 6	Western Maryland Invitational	3rd
May 8	Garrett County Championship	Cancelled
May 15 and 17	Regionals	9th
May 22 and 24	States	23rd

Throw Run Jump

The basics of Cross Country and Track and Field

On your mark...get set...go! Track and field is more than just running around the track; cross country is more than just running through the woods. They require strategy, pacing, taking long strides, correct arm movement, and much more. From the100 meter dash to the two mile run and long jumping to throwing the discus, the Husky boys' and girls' track teams compete against teams in our tri-state area. There are many events a person can do in track. Jason Green, 11, is a sprinter for the boys' track team. "My favorite event is the 200 meter because you never know the winner until the last 60 meters or so." Chelsie Kling, 9, says, "My favorite event is the 4x1 because it's a team event and it gives me a huge rush of energy." For cross country, there is just one event. Mitch Hall,12, states why he prefers track: "I hate running three miles nonstop." Brooke Yoder, 10, says, "Throwing shot put is my favorite event in track because I can throw very far. My goal is to break the school record, which is somewhere around 30 feet." Losing many athletic students last year, the track and field team, as well as the cross country team, still succeeded. Each year there are new athletes bringing about a more well-equipped team. All in all, running, jumping, and throwing are the basic ideas in track and field and cross country.

By Lindsay Wolf
Photos: Jeffrey Smith & other contributors

Boys' Head Coach Andy Bowser states, "My favorite part of coaching track is seeing young athletes improve. Whether it's during the season or year to year, when an athlete reaches their goals it is rewarding to all involved. A lot of the young men on the track team work very hard, and I am proud to be a small part of their success."

Top Left: For Kaitlynn Fratz, 9, high jump is just one of four events she participates in. "Knowing that I jumped at my best potential and looking up from landing on the mat seeing the bar still up [is the best part about high jumping]."

Top Right: Amber Kling, 11, sprints in the 4x200 meter relay. "I like the 4x200 relay the most because I like running as a team and we always have a good time and we usually don't do bad in it."

Bottom Left: Douglas Butner, 10, sets up in his blocks to sprint 100 meters for the 4x100 meter relay as the other members of his relay team anxiously await the baton.

Bottom Right: Grace Herpel, 11, concentrates on her form as she attempts to clear the bar in the high jump.

Shaun Adams, 11, runs cross country as well as track. "The most difficult aspect of cross country is spacing out your energy to complete the whole three miles, all while having to run across rough terrain and steep upgrades."

2008 Girls Track

Date	Opponent	Outcome
April 3	Southern/Frankfort	Cancelled
April 10	MD/WV Relays	8th
April 14	Meyersdale	2nd
April 19	Southern Invitation	2nd
April 26	Calhoun Invitational	2nd
May 1	AMAC	6th
May 6	Western Maryland Invitation	Tied-2nd
May 8	Garrett County Championship	Cancelled
May 15 and 17	Regionals	9th
May 22 and 24	States	

Front Row: Lara Beitzel, Kaitlynn Fratz, Adria Graham, Amber Kling, Brittany Stein, Lindsay Wolf, Taylor Maltba, Sarah Moon. **Middle Row:** Nicole Tichinel, Brooke Yoder, Kelsey Jones, Grace Herpel, Alyssa Rounds, Michael Biser, Chelsi Kling. **Back Row:** Lacey Green, Colleen Thurston, Rachel Margroff, Nikkole Diehl, Monica Keller, Shaun Adams, and Emily Rosser.

Go for the GOAL!

What time is it? Game Time!

This season was one to remember for all the girls' soccer players, both junior varsity and varsity. After losing two seniors last year, the Lady Huskies had their goals sets high. The most important aspect of the season was the team chemistry. Abby Sherrard, 12, says, "Our team was extremely close and we all got along great. There was never a dull moment, and our unity was the reason we were so successful." The team set a record of 14 wins, 3 losses, and 1 tie. The junior varsity had another great season with a 9-2 record. For the first time in history, the girls' soccer team became West Region Champions and went to States, but they had a disappointing loss in the semi-finals. The team set multiple records at the school and in the area, but the girls will always remember the memories created and friendships made on the team. To them, that is one of the marks of a truly great season.

By Brittany Stein
Photos: Megan Margroff

John Milbourne
Head Varsity Coach
"My favorite part of coaching is creating the feeling of family and respect for each other, knowing that when we go to war against another team we don't want to let anyone on our team down by not putting out our best effort."

Get Pumped
Kara Savage, 11, says, "I get pumped up by listening to music and thinking about what I need to do to play better and help my team win."

Top Left: Whitney Murphy, 9, aggressively fights an opponent for control of the ball. Whitney says, "My favorite thing about soccer is seeing how much [I've] improve[d] at the end of the year and being able to play with my friends."
Top Right: The junior varsity comes together to break and get ready for the second half. Chelsi Kling, 9, says, "I get pumped up before the game when we scream at the top of our lungs."
Bottom Right: Nikki Diehl, 10, puts a strong ball towards the goal to give a teammate a chance to score.
Bottom Left: Amy Lander, 12, battles an attacker to clear the ball from the defending end while Megan Wiley, 11, and Justine Harvey, 11, provide support. Amy states, "My favorite thing about my position is my defense and all of the silly rituals we do before every game."

Front Row: Sarah Voelkel, Amy Lander, Brittany Stein. **Middle Row:** Kaitlyn Walker, Jennifer Shaffer, Kaitlynn Fratz, Adria Graham, Megan Kinsinger, Susan Thatcher. **Back Row:** Meghan Voelkel, Amber Kling, Abby Sherrard, Justine Harvey, Megan Wiley, Kelsey Jones, Devan Yoder.

2007- Varsity

	Them	Us
Bishop Walsh	1	15
Keyser	1	7
Allegany	2	1
Mt. Ridge	1	1
Southern	1	2
Hampshire	0	11
Frankfort	0	11
Ft. Hill	1	3
Southern	2	6
Allegany	1	3
Southern	0	1
Mt. Ridge	1	3
Bishop Walsh	1	2
Ft. Hill	0	4

WINS: 11 LOSSES: 2
TIES: 1

The varsity team huddles together to strategize and get motivated for the game.

Jeff Graham

Head JV Coach

"What I enjoy most about coaching is to be able to share my passion for sport[s] with others. I think that sports are a metaphor for life in general. If one can figure out how to be successful in sports, they can figure out how to be successful in life. Plus, I love the game and love teaching it to others."

Brittany Stein, 12, races her defender for possession of the ball to begin an attack while Kelsey Jones, 11, and Amber Kling, 11, provide support.

Kyle Gillum, 11, Teddy Linton, 10, Dylan Miller, 10, Kory Gibson, 12, Kameron Kamp, 9, Adam Brenneman, 9, Ryan Beiler, 10, Doug Butner, 11, and Garrett Rayner, 9 show their support at one of the girls' games.

Sarah Voelkel, 12, dribbles the ball on a break away before passing to forward Adria Graham, 10. Adria says, "My favorite part of my position is scoring the goals to help the team win."

Do Your Job

Kelsey Jones, 11, says, "My favorite thing about my position (sweeper) is when a forward on the other team gets a break away and I have to destroy their attack. I love the adrenaline rush."

2007- Junior Varsity

Us	Them	
8	0	Bishop Walsh
5	0	Allegany
2	3	Mt. Ridge
5	0	Southern
1	0	Ft. Hill
2	0	Southern
2	0	Allegany
1	0	Southern
0	2	Mt. Ridge
6	0	Bishop Walsh
2	0	Ft. Hill

WINS: 9 LOSSES: 2

Front Row: Brittney Allen, Brittany Mallow, Tara Goff. **Middle Row:** Whitney Murphy, Sierra O' Brien, Karina Deniker, Morgan Brosnihan, Kayley Green, Brooke Yoder, Lisa Umbel. **Back Row:** Monica Keller, Kara Savage, Chelsi Kling, Nikkole Diehl, Lacey Green, Cara Stough, Chelsea Diehl.

"Who are we? GC!"
The boys get fired up by chanting in the middle of the field.

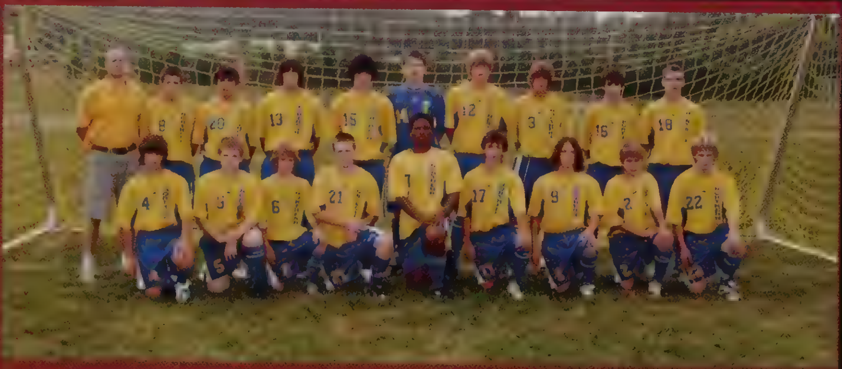
"Beating Mountain Ridge and the fans storming the field," was the best part of the season for Jeremy Beitzel, 11.

Elijah Lais, 12, will always remember the experience of "beating Mountain Ridge, winning the area, and beating 5 school records."

Cutting off the shot
Michael Clise, 12, steals back the ball from Allegany's forwards.

Goal Kicks
Keeper Justin Shaw, 9, starts off the offense by nailing the ball down the field.

Defense!
Ryan Bowser, 12, attempts to steal the ball back from Mountain Ridge.



Front Row: Zach Beal, Nicholas Buckel, Jeffrey Trautwein, Carson Kamp, Brian Johnson, Francis Morvavetz, Jaymes Kelly, Brody Fike, Josh Beitzel.
Back Row: Coach Bowser, Justin Shaw, Cooper Corley, Dylan Beitzel, Alex Daniels, Taylor Nicklin, Andrew Beitzel, Cody Brenneman, Ryan Beiler, Steven Holtschneider.

2007- Junior Varsity

	Us	Them
Southern	3	0
Allegany	2	0
Hampshire	3	1
Mt. Ridge	3	3
Bishop Walsh	3	0
Allegany	1	1
Mt. Ridge	0	2
Southern	4	0
Ft. Hill	0	3
Salisbury	1	0

WINS: 8 LOSSES: 2 TIES: 2

Strength Speed Agility

The Road to a Regional Championship

What does it take to go to a Regional Championship? Just ask the boys' soccer team. They had an amazing season this year, ending with a record of 14-2. Their only loss in the regular season was to a team they came back to beat 4-1 the second time around. After the regular season the boys took on Williamsport, Smithsburg, and Poolsville. All three games were very well played and very hard fought. Sadly, the boys couldn't hold on to the third game and lost to Poolsville 1-3. The boys had a season worth remembering this year. People who proceed to go to Northern will do just that, remember the year the Northern High School boys' soccer team went to a regional championship.

By Amy Lander
Photos: Jamie Rayner

Top Left: Jaymes Kelly,10, attacks the ball as Allegany attempts to dribble up the field.

Top Right: Neil Buckel, 12, gives Mountain Ridge pressure, as Jeremy Beitzel, 11, gives him support.

Bottom Left: Brian Williams, 12, proceeds after the ball as his opposition barrels after him.

Bottom Right: Steven Holtschneider, 9, backs up his fellow player, Ryan Beiler, 10, as he runs towards the attacking end of the field.

"[Beating Mt. Ridge] was a long time coming, so it was a relief more than anything," stated Coach Lais.

"Watching my kids improve from game to game," was Coach Bowser's favorite part of the season.

2007- Varsity

	Us	Them
Trinity Christian	7	1
Keyser	12	0
Southern	3	0
Allegany	5	0
Hampshire	8	0
Mt. Ridge	1	2
Frankfort	8	0
Bishop Walsh	3	1
Allegany	5	0
Keyser	7	0
Mt. Ridge	4	2
Southern	2	1
Ft. Hill	5	1
Salisbury	2	1

WINS: 13 LOSSES: 1

Varisty 2007

First Row: Taylor Nicklin, Carson Kamp, Trevor Devore, Dan Warnick, Brian Williams, Zach Trautwein, Aaron Valentine, Elijah Lais, Chris Wood, Cody Brenneman, Ryan Beiler. **Back Row:** Coach Bowser,Thomas Holtschneider, Zach Lipscomb, Travis Mcfarland, William Herpel, Mike Clise, Dan Boylan, Mitchell Hall, Jeremy Beitzel, Ryan Bowser, Tylor Kamp, Neil Buckel, Coach Lais, Coach Warnick.

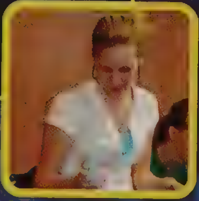
Husky's Brain

A husky has many parts, but the most important part is its brain. Students continue to get an education so they know what they want to be in life. Like their mascot, students wolf down the information as they study with dogged determination.

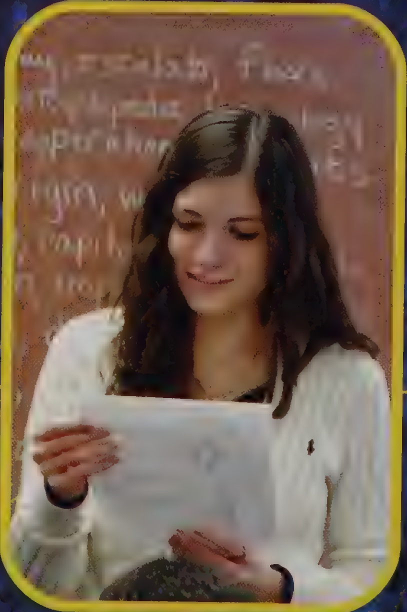
Focus!
Amber Miller, 9, works on a drawing project to enhance her knowledge of the subject at hand.

Northern offers many opportunities for students. Students here can get a head start on their careers and prepare for college. In all of their academic pursuits, huskies certainly drool their way to the top!

By Stephanie Shapiro
Photos: Staff



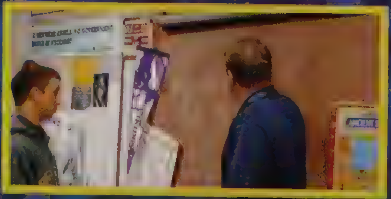
Having Fun!
Jenna Hanner, 11, plays with gak that was made in Chem. Comm. class.



Friends, Classmates, Countrymen
Karina Walker, 11, presents a well-researched project to her classmates.

Checkmate!
Trevor Devore, 11, enhances his skills during chess club.

Saving a Life
Ashley Wilhelm, 12, practices chest compressions.



Teaching Skills
Mr. Nicklin presents an animated lecture to Michael Burns, 9.

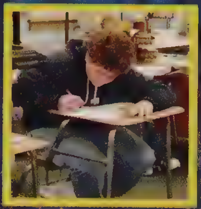
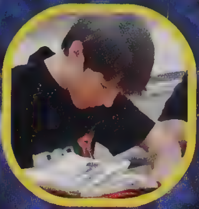
Working Together
Chad Wilburn, 11, helps Brooke Hare, 11, with an illustration to help comprehend a mathematical concept.

ABC's
Katie Wilt, 10, works on making a children's book

Et Tu Brute
Tyler Rogers, 10, and Teddy Linton, 10, present on Caesar Day.

Framed!
Eric Smetzer, 12, builds a frame for the shed.

Concentrate
Daniel Uphold, 9, learns about the world.

Tunes
Rebecca Engle, 9, and Christina Ferrell, 9, make music in band.

Hitting The Books
Chris Murray, 11, works hard on his world history assignment.

A Work Of Art
Aaron Friend, 9, finishes a project in art class.

Screen Time
Bradley Sisler, 10, and Alan Wingrove, 10, work on finding information for their children's book.

Buliding a House?
Scott Savage, 12, enhances his building skills.

Lending a Helping Hand
Kasie Fratz, 12, helps Amanda Beitzel, 12, with the wheelchair in Allied Health.

What's the Hypothesis?
Charles Custer, 10, analyzes the results of a science lab experiment.

The Minds of Northern

Written thoughts and research papers..

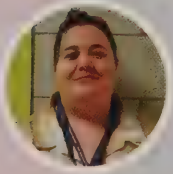
What influenced you to teach high school English? And what has been most rewarding to you as a teacher?

"Rewarding - see the spark of interest (from students) in something I am teaching. Also, I love to hear from former students. I'd like to think I helped in some small way to develop a successful individual!"

-Mrs. Coburn

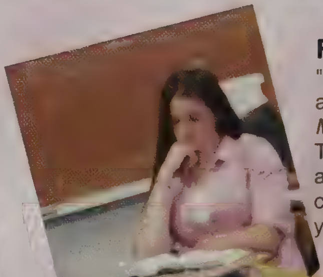
"I enjoy literature, and wanted to share it with students. I also wanted to discuss with my students the life issues that are raised in fiction. My most rewarding experiences have been when students have learned things they didn't know before.."

-Ms. Theriot



"I love English and I love to teach. I have taught several subjects and English is the most challenging. I love to see that moment when a student who has been having difficulties finally gets it..."

-Ms. Logan



Favorites
"My favorite activity has been *Macbeth*." Says Tricia Wiley, 12, about her English class so far this year.

And so..
Ashton Carr, 11, reads aloud in Mrs. Coburn's English III class.

How many of us complain when our teacher assigns us a new research paper or essay? Most of us. It is a pretty well-known fact that teenagers don't like writing long, drawn-out papers that take up part of our free time. But even though writing papers can be very time-consuming, the process is an important one. Students often have difficulty expressing their ideas in writing, and English teachers work hard to help them learn to do so more effectively. To help with writing skills, "Mrs. Fleming gives us papers that show us how to write in the correct grammar," says Dillon Frazee, 9.

Not only can teachers make students write papers, but they can also make them give presentations. Yes, some kids may dread getting up in front of a roomful of their peers and explaining something, but who doesn't have to do it? Ms. Logan's English IV classes enjoyed giving presentations on *The Tragedy of Macbeth* and Mrs. Coburn's classes have no problem getting up and reading aloud for the rest of the students.

Each year, English teachers help students learn to communicate their ideas. Whether this is done in writing or through speech, students express themselves better because of their English classes.

By Ashton Graham
Photos: Ashley Kinzey

Focus
Shawn Uphold, 12, quietly concentrates on his literarture book in Ms. Theriot's English IV class.

As a teacher, how do you feel about summer reading?

"I think the summer reading program is a great idea; however, I wish there was a way to give students more options and still be able to hold them accountable for actually reading the books."

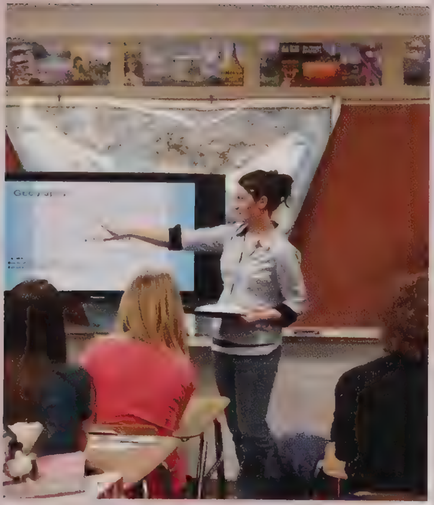
-Mrs. Fleming

"I wish all students could see the value and importance of reading. It souldn't be forced, but if we have to do it, I think all students should read the same book or books to complete the same assignment and get the same amount of credit..."

-Mrs. Derlan

"Since I think reading is a pleasure, as well as a challenge, I am whole-heartedly in favor of summer reading, particularly when we are only asking that you read one, two, or three books..."

-Mr. Kolbe



El Salvador!

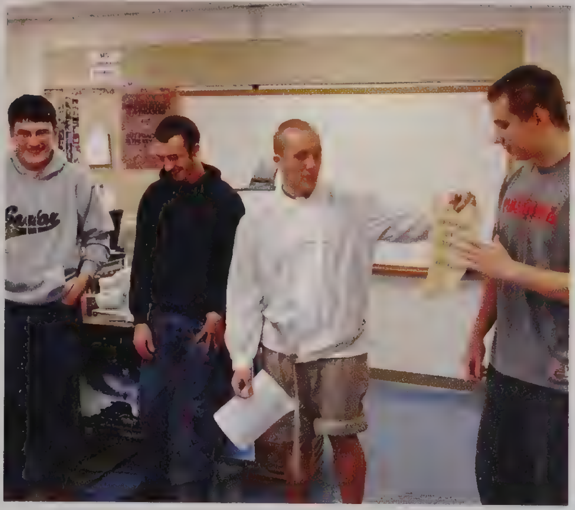
Melissa Meyers, 10, gives a presentation on El Salvador in Mrs. Derlan's English II class.

You see this right here?

Dan Smith, 12, presents his collage on *Macbeth* during Ms. Logan's English IV class.

It's this BIG!

Doug Butner, 10, enthusiastically gives a presentation on a South American country in Mrs. Derlan's English II class.



Macbeth!

Brian Benedict, 12, Bradley Friend, 12, John Owens, 12, and Robert Stanley, 12, present their *Macbeth* project for Ms. Logan's English IV class.

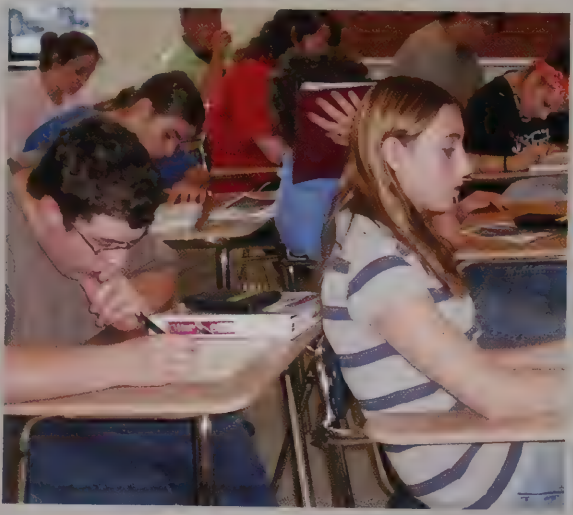
It's all in the collage..

In Ms. Logan's first period English IV class, Ashton Graham, 12, Kasie Fratz, 12, and Ashley Kinzey, 12, present their collage of the different themes and objects in *Macbeth*.

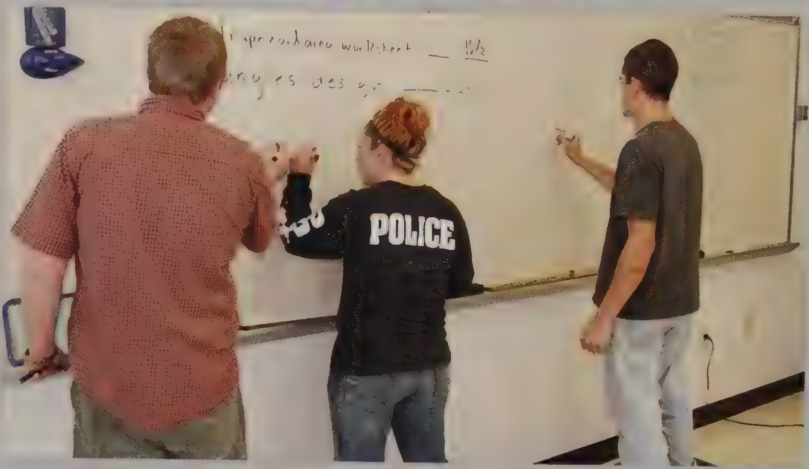
Let's listen up!

Mrs. Fleming's first period English I class comes prepared to listen and work.

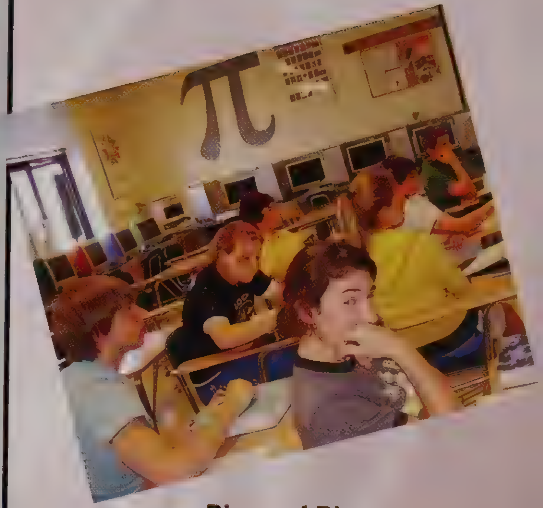
Working Hard Aaron Wilburn, 12, and Lacey Warnick, 11, practice their math skills by completing a worksheet.



Eating up their work Anthony Rafferty, 9, and Matthew Wilburn, 9, practice their math skills by using M&Ms



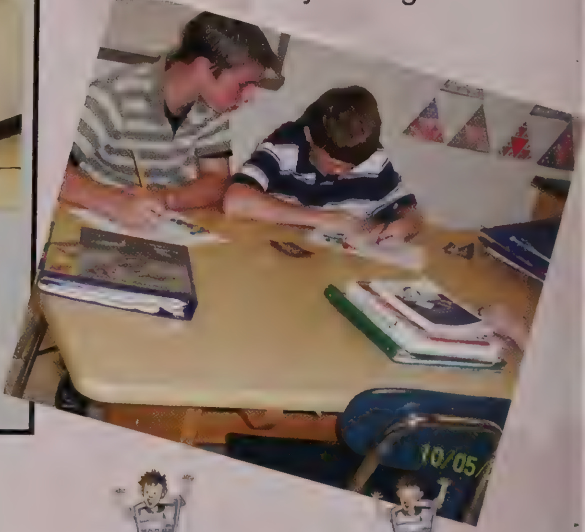
Writing it Out
Zach Fratz, 11, Carrie Fike, 11, and Kevin Knox, 11, explain details from the previous night's homework assignment.



Piece of Pie
Dustin Platter, 12, and Emily Rosser, 12, listen intently as Mr. Hostetler teaches them Calculus.

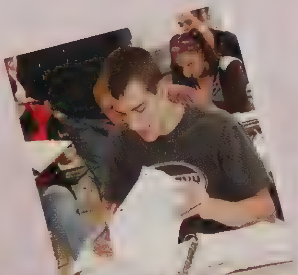
Making it pretty, Savannah Rafferty, 11, works on an in-class project. She uses her artistic skills to make math fun for herself and for everyone else.

Mmmm, Good
Derek Harding, 9, James Donahue 9, eat their way through math.

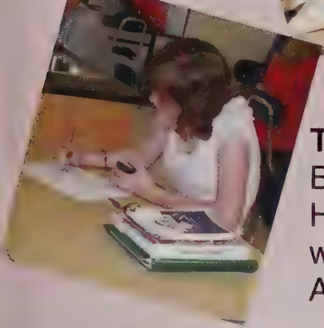


Math: The Backbone of Society

Math continues to open doors to our future



Getting Organized Zach Fratz, 11, shuffles through his papers in hopes of finding last night's Alegbra homework.



Testing hard, Brittany Hanner, 9, works on her Algebra I test.

How does taking a higher math class in high school help later on in life?

"Taking a higher math class will help expand a person's ability to think and reason logically."

Mrs. Deem

"I think it is important to take math classes that challenge you. Most students are undecided in a college. You never know what you'll end up doing in your career. I had no plans to be a math teacher, but I ended as one. If I hadn't taken the higher level math classes, I don't think I would have even realized that I had the ability to be successful in them."

Mrs. Grimm

"Taking advanced classes during high school is definitely helpful to students, regardless of their future plans."

Mrs. Harvey

"Why take math? I will never use it in the real world." This is a common complaint stated by high school students. As much as people hate to think about the many algebraic expressions, eventually the math people learn in high school will come in handy. Many students graduating from Northern High School this year will have to take a higher math in college. "[Although] students begrudge the teachers who proclaim it, everyone's life is affected by math and science. Ignoring the fact that we owe so many aspects of our lives to advanced mathematics and refined sciences is ludicrous, and to neglect taking such advanced courses in high school is to miss out on the most competitive area of the job market," stated Emily Rosser, 12. Math may be a complicated subject, but the minds that are expanded by math will go on to do great things with their lives.

By Amy Lander
Photos: Elizabeth Knox

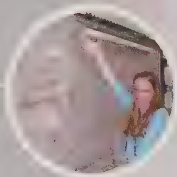
How will taking advanced classes help students in the long run?

"The focus of real-world relevance of mathematics should not be on adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing. Instead, the focus should be on logical reasoning, which allows us to analyze life's problems and to develop a strategy that leads to a reasonable solution."

Mr. Hostetler

"If you plan on going to college and majoring in a field that requires a lot of math you will be further ahead in those classes. Even if you won't need a lot of math it teaches you to think logically and to pay attention to detail."

Mrs. Hawkins



"I hope it [advanced math] will help me in college so I can test out of some of the math courses."

Abby Sherrard, 12

Dustin Platter, 12, and Abby Sherrard, 12, attempt to better themselves in the long run by taking advanced classes such as AP Calculus.

Operation Science

Digging deep into the systematic body of knowledge!

Some of the teachers' thoughts on their favorite aspects of teaching science.

"AP Physics is my favorite subject to teach because I love watching the reaction of students when they suddenly 'see the light'!"

Mr. Berger

"My favorite part of teaching science is the labs. Students like them and always learn and discover new things."

Ms. Kenyon

"I enjoy doing projects with my students that revolve around current science such as movies, books, debates, etc."

Ms. Harman

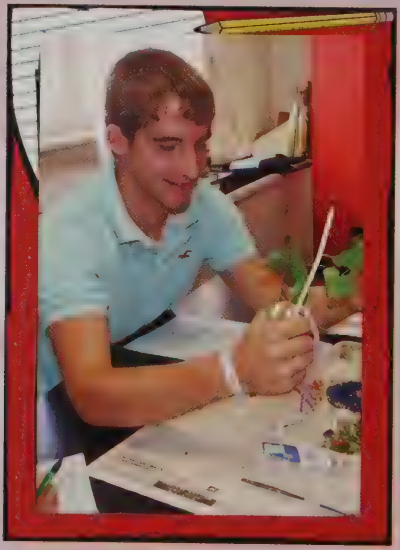
Students not only enjoy the company of Ms. Harman's pet turtle, but it helps them learn what is needed to keep a stable environment for the species.

Megan Wiley, 11, and Chelsie Glotfelty, 11, work on testing soil in AP Environmental Science.

Although we may not realize it, or even acknowledge it, we are around science every single day. Many see science as nothing more than whether something is a solid, liquid, or gas; whether it grows or dies. However, at Northern High School we dig deeper into the core of science. Senior Kelli Wilhelm says, "Out of all the science classes I've had throughout the years, biology definitely suits me better, but I will never forget some of the chemistry labs: pretty fire and purple bombs!"

We experiment to figure out and better understand why certain things happen. From biology to chemistry, all the way to physics, students are learning about the world they live in. They learn how it works, why it works the way it does, and most of all they are experiencing the systematic body of knowledge.

By Danielle Brenneman
Photos: Justin Rosenberger



Kyle Gillum, 11, digs up peanuts in his environmental science mining lab.

More thoughts about science classes...

"The main reason I became a science teacher was for the unending ability to torture students."

Mr. Price

"The best part about science class is that I always learn new things and it is great!"

Jonathan Deem, 12

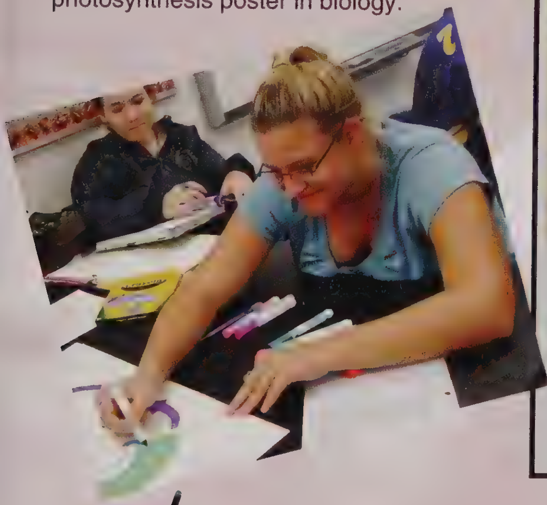
"The hardest part about chemistry is remembering all of the equations. It becomes really complicated."

Megan Kinsinger, 11

Blair Crisson, 11, and Josh Duckworth, 11, work on creating a model habitat in Environmental Science.

Kaitlyn Walker, 10, and Michelle Yommer, 10, demonstrate the scientific method during their potato lab.

Brooke Yoder, 10, works on her photosynthesis poster in biology.



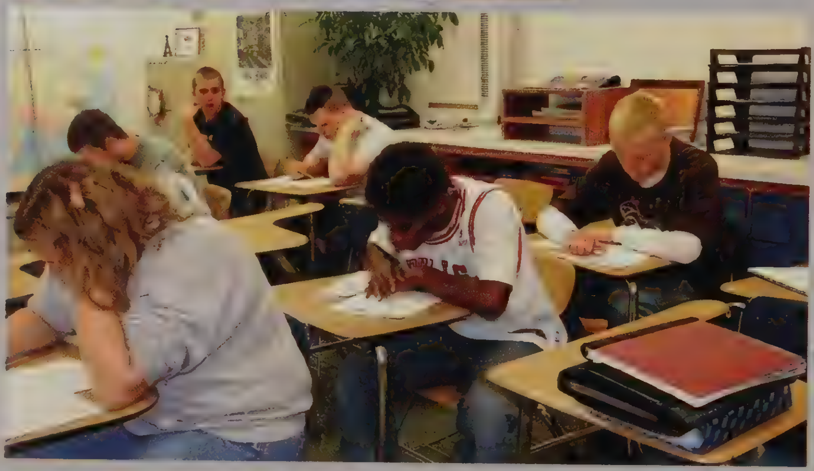
Amanda Brenneman, 11, and Elijah Lais,12, work diligently in AP Environmental Science on their soil lab. Amanda says, "My favorite part of science class is working with the best lab partners ever- Elijah Steven Lais, Megan Wiley, and Chelsie Glotfelty!"

Tim Miller, 11, and Ryan Evans, 11, work on an Environmental Science lab dealing with the impacts of mining as they dig up the information they need to reach their conclusion.

Dustin Platter, Chris Wood, and Zac Trautwein prepare to fire their projectile launchers in physics. Dustin said, "I enjoyed using my prior knowledge of combustion fused with my new understanding of physics to create a successful projectile launcher."

Work! Work! Amber Hare, 11, knows the importance of working hard in Mrs. Garlitz's history class. Need to keep those grades up!

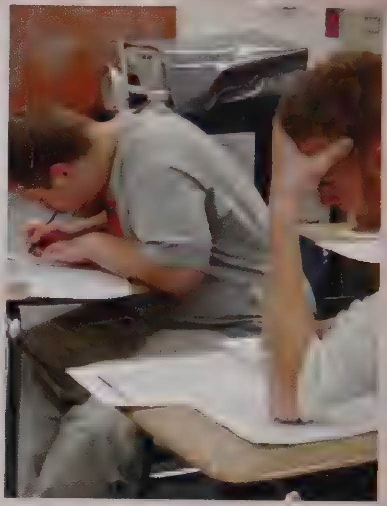
Attention, Please! Students in Mr. Nicklin's Maryland's Tomorrow class pay attention and enjoy the class discussions that regularly take place.



Something new each day...
Juniors Elizabeth Knox, Kenya Williams and Dan Boylan can always count on learning something new and interesting each time they come to Mrs. Garlitz's world history class.

Life Before X-Box?
Jennifer Shaffer, 9, says her favorite part of history class is, "when we learned about the immigrants and leisure activities during the late 1800s."

Class Work Not many students enjoy class work these days. However, Tim Miller, 11, and Andrew Beitzel, 11, give it their best shot in Mrs. Garlitz's class.



Listening..
Derek Broadwater, 9, always pays attention in his Maryland's Tomorrow class. Listening + working hard = good grades!

LIFE IN THE PAST...

What exactly was it like so many years ago?

"Mr. Opel makes learning more interesting by relating the notes we take to popular events happening in the news."
- Michael Rugola, 10

"Mr. Opel tells us interesting facts about what the world used to be like, and tells us things that are not in the book."
- Cora Owens, 11

What do you enjoy most about teaching this class?

"I enjoy the students' enthusiasm and their willingness to try new things. Also, every day is something different."

Mr. Nicklin

"I enjoy getting the students to understand how our government works, what our basic rights are, and what's going on around the country."

Mr. Opel

"I enjoy teaching Contemporary Problems because I enjoy the different viewpoints and discussing the topics. This class is very political and the students are into it, as well, which makes it even better."

Mr. Edwards

What was life like in the past? Only the people who lived during that time period would know. So why not learn about them? Learning about the past has helped students understand the problems that are going on in our world today. Adria Graham,10, says, "Learning about the past gives me an idea of what it was like many years ago. It makes me think how much everything has changed." Our world today can reflect the past in so many ways. However, it is also very different.

Everyone knows that the best part of learning is when a teacher can make class fun. Haleigh Werner, 9, says,"Mr. McKenzie shows us old magazines and books that are relevant to the topic we are discussing." The history classes here at Northern have not only taught students all about the past issues and people of our country, but also about themselves.

By Ashton Graham
Photos: Ashley Kinzey

How has taking this class helped you to better understand the problems people face today?

"It's showed me you really have to be open-minded because everyone has had different experiences."

Leah Frazee, 12

"It puts you in their shoes. Makes you understand what people go through and how they have to deal with it."

Andrea Miller, 12

How do your students make the class more interesting to teach?
"Their individual and very unique personalities add to every class and make each day different and new."

Mrs. Garlitz

"Write" On Latisha Edgar, 11, works with an elementary student to create a book about her family. Each year Mr. Nicklin's students write educational children's books and then share their new literary skills with younger students through several field trips.

Divide and Conquer

Advancing to the Future

"First and most important is I'm learning that I need to have some self-confidence and control."

Rae Moon, 12

"I believe the most rewarding things I have taught my students are self-discipline, responsibility, and respect towards themselves, other cadets, and peers outside the classroom."

LTC Sheetz

"Physical training and football."

Anthony Rafferty, 9

What is the most valuable skill you've learned in JROTC?

What is the most rewarding thing you've taught your students?

What is your favorite part of JROTC?

Run like the wind!
Matthew Wilburn, 9, Brittany Hanner, 9, and Anthony Rafferty, 9, sprint toward the finish li during training.

1, 2, 3
Cora Owens, 11, and Jon Deem, 12, count the number of sit-ups for their partners Brittany Hanner, 9, and Martha Moats, 9.

After completing high school, graduates part ways and pursue their dreams; they divide and conquer. Students disperse into the real world, overcoming the challenges they encounter with dedicated work. The students in JROTC commit to hard work and perseverance the minute they sign up for the course. The JROTC teaches responsibility and self-discipline, which prepares students for their future. "We stress and highly encourage all Cadets to graduate from high school... and at times assist with enrolling into any of the numerous Service Academies," commented Lieutenant Colonel Sheetz. Students in this class learn about how the army operates and what to expect if they should choose a military career. Strength and endurance, and leadership skills are tested at after-school events for the Raiders. Only the hardest working Cadets can compete. After-school practices consist of road marches, land navigation, and standard military physical training. Kari Wingrove, 10, participates in the Raiders program because, "I enjoy it. I like the physical training it puts you through and the things that you learn. The best part of competing with the Raiders is it gets you physically in shape. You need to be able to run two miles, do two minute push-ups, and two minute sit-ups. It is also just a lot of fun to hang out with the people that are in it." Using their learned skills in the future is sure to bring the JROTC students success in life.

By Nicole Opel

Left, Left, Left, Right, Left!
James Winebrenner, 10, and Kenny Friend, 10, lead the troops in marching during the after-school practice for the Raiders team.

"My favorite part of JROTC is getting to do a variety of fun activities. We go on field trips and go outside and don't just sit in the classroom all the time."

Kimberly Riggin, 10

"JROTC encourages leadership involvement while preparing students for challenges after graduating and teaching them a higher level of responsibility."

SFC Warnock

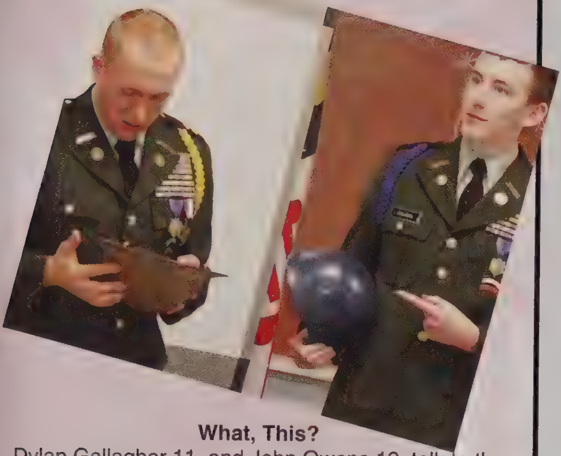
"There are many different ranks in JROTC...my rank is Lieutenant Colonel. [I earned this rank through] experience and hard work."

John Owens, 12

What is your favorite part of JROTC?

Why would you recommend that students enroll in JROTC?

What is your rank and how was it obtained?



What, This?

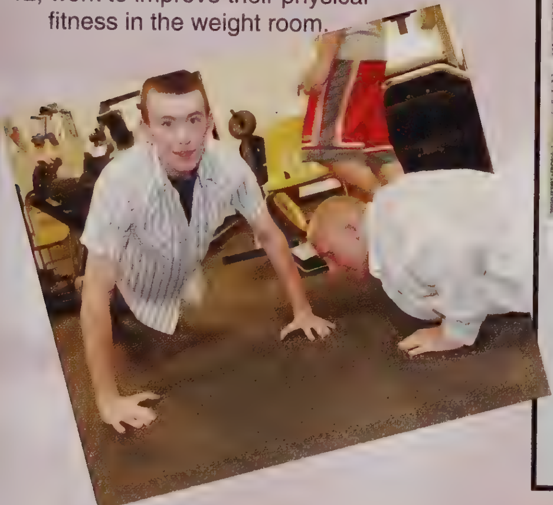
Dylan Gallagher,11, and John Owens,12, talk to the class about helmets worn during combat. LTC Sheetz informed John that the helmet in his hands was worn in the midst of a WWI battle.

Flyboys

Kari Wingrove, 10, and Cameron Barone,10, watch *Flyboys*, a movie about young American men who learn to fly planes. Watching videos gives students a visual representation of historical events.

Drop and Give Me 20!

ylan Gallagher, 11, and John Owens, 12, work to improve their physical fitness in the weight room.

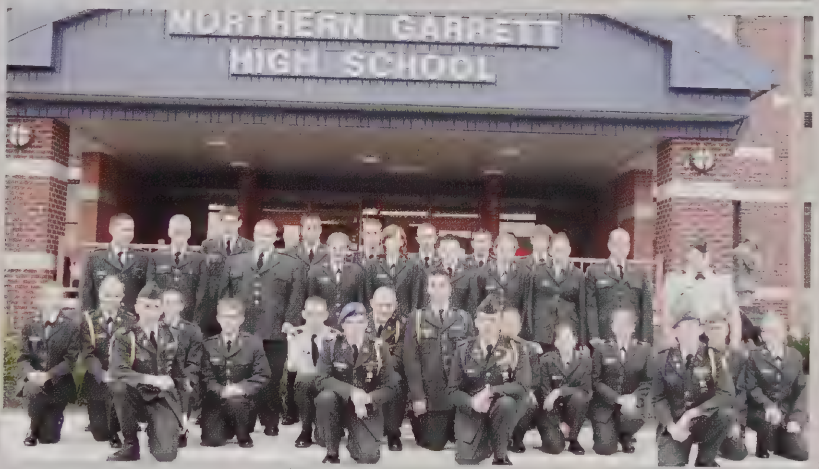


Attention!

SFC. Warnock instructs his LET 1 and LET 3s on the importance of physical exercise. SFC Warnock says, "Physical exercise generates a better, healthier lifestyle. The youth in America need to be aware of the increasing weight problem and recognize their ability to do something about it."

Oh, say can you see!

Ninth graders Brittany Wiland and Adam Counts read and answer questions about the National Anthem. Doing bookwork in class helps students better understand certain concepts. "I can look over the [information] and know and learn it easier," stated Brittany.



Uniformed in Green

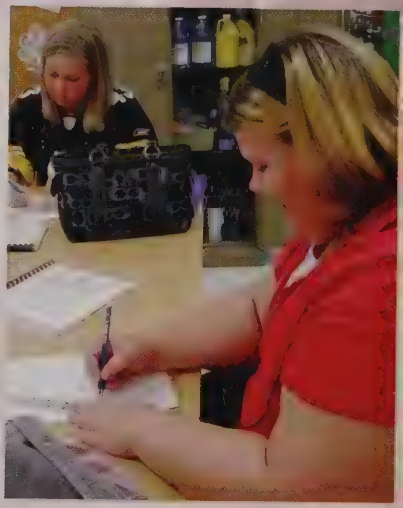
First Row: Ryan Moreland, James Winebrenner, John Owens, Dylan Gallagher. **Second Row:** Samantha Schurg, Kimberly Riggin, Jacob Savage, Matt Wilburn, William Gibbs, Kenny Friend, Cameron Barone, Brittany Wiland, Courtney Dennis-Yaeger, Kari Wingrove, D.J. Fisher, Rhiannon Moon. **Third Row:** Thomas Kovach, Bryan Rounds, Jon Deem, Martha Moats, Brittany Hanner, Adam Counts, Lacie Schroyer, Laura Casteel, Levi Fazenbaker. **Fourth Row:** James Bernhard, Dylan Humberson, Rodney Schroyer, William Durst, Justin Shaw, Tyler Rogers.

Hats off to You! William Thatcher, 9, and Olympia Twyman, 10, act out a play in Theater class.

This is How We Do it! Mr. Salisbury explains to Taylor Day, 9, how this instrument works and why it is so unique from the others.

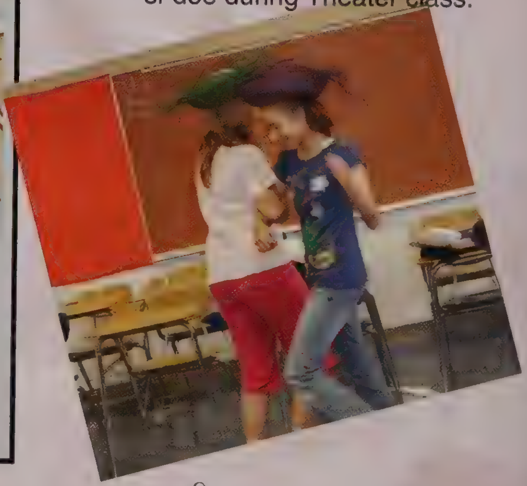
Keep it Between the Lines
Making sure everything is drawn correctly, Aaron Valentine, 11, and Cory Spiker, 9, carefully begin working on an art project.

Putting it All Together
Tony Messina, 12, puts his artwork together to make it a beautiful piece of art.



What You See Cora Owens, 11, and Ashton Graham, 12, use their thumbnail pictures to create a larger more detailed picture.

Turn Your Partner Round and Round
Amber Miller, 9, and Jenny Shaffer, 9, do-si-doe during Theater class.



Fine Arts

The Eyes and Ears of Northern

What It Is! Johanna Winter, 12, observes the parts of an instrument to learn how it works.

Hold Up! Olympia Twyman, 10, Chelsea Kling, 9, and Jenny Shaffer, 9, strike a pose to end their play.

What do you enjoy most about your Fine Arts class?

"I enjoy getting to draw interesting pictures, it really increases my imagination."

Ashley Clary, 10

"What I enjoy most about Theater Arts is that you can learn and have fun at the same time, and that's very rare."

Olympia Twyman, 10

"I like a variety of music and learning about new music."

Jason Opel, 9

The Fine Arts--theater, art, and music--are defined as being produced or intended primarily for beauty rather than utility. With the use of creativity, imagination, and a little guidance from their teachers, these students are creating beautiful artwork that pleases both the eyes and ears of Northern High School. According to Hannah Walters, 12, "Art is very beautiful indeed, whether it is seeing or hearing it. In Art Class it takes a while for me to think outside of my box, but when I do come up with good artwork I use my imagination and I not only satisfy the teacher with my artwork, but I satisfy myself and satisfying yourself is the most important about art."

By Megan Kinsinger
Photos: Allie Benton

What do you enjoy most about teaching a Fine Arts class?

"I consider myself lucky to have the opportunity to work with the students. Each and every student is so unique. That is why I love getting up and coming to work!"

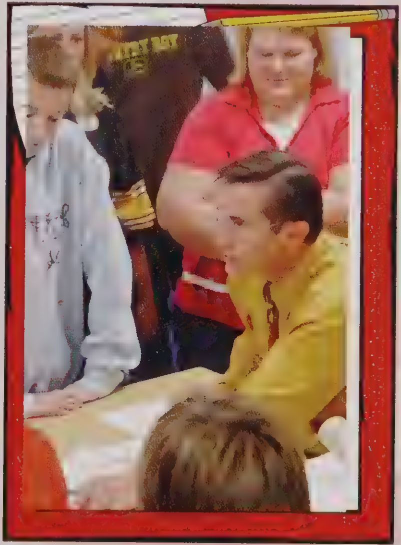
Mr. Paxton

"Theater is an application based class in which students learn by doing. This is the type of class in which students can learn while having fun."

Ms. Logan

"It is very fun to share my knowledge of the basics of music with [my] students who truly want to learn and understand."

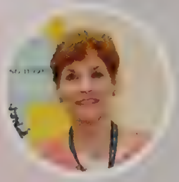
Mr. Salisbury



Say What? Mr. Paxton explains what needs to be done and how to do it before the students begin working on a new art project.

Opening Your Mind

with Foreign Language



"Knowing Spanish has helped me to meet and talk to people from many different countries both here and abroad."

Mrs. Wilt, Spanish

Another language "exposes [students] to new cultures and improves their language skills in English as well."

-Ms. Theriot, Spanish

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-Ms. Norris, French

How has knowing Spanish impacted your life?

Why is it important for students to learn another language?

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BINGO! Lindsay Miller, 11, plays Loteria, which is the Spanish equivalen of bingo. Playing games helps students learn new words.

Lending a Helping Hand. J.P. Law, 11, assists Andrea Miller, 12, as she finishes her sentences to write on the board for the class to see.

With there being 6,912 different languages spoken throughout the world, one may wonder why many students still only speak one language fluently. Throughout the years students spend in school up until ninth grade, they are primarily exposed to one language: English. They are taught everything from a noun to a direct object in grammar, but they never have the opportunity to explore other languages in depth and to understand different cultures. In the global marketplace in which we live, it is imperative for students to gain knowledge of other languages and to communicate with people from foreign countries. Spanish teacher Ms. Theriot says that, "Learning another language opens students to many opportunities for communication with other people throughout the world."

Students at Northern High School who elect to take a foreign language course can choose either French or Spanish. These two languages provide a solid background for communicating with other nations outside the U.S., along with French- and Spanish-speaking immigrants living in the U.S. With the growing population of the U.S. and millions of immigrants entering each year, students need to accept diversity and learn that other languages and cultures are what shape the world and make it the exciting and unique place that it is today. The French and Spanish courses at Northern High School do just that by "opening the minds" of students to different cultures and customs surrounding them in the world.

By Ainsley Raley
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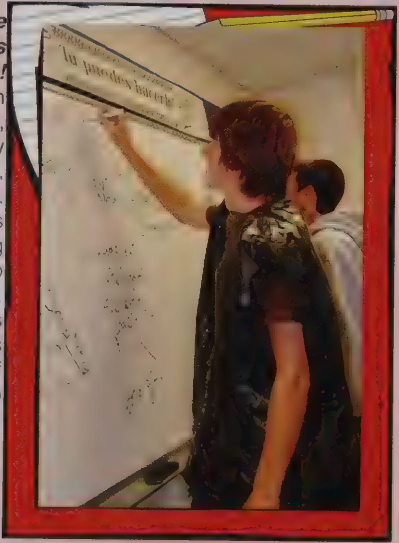
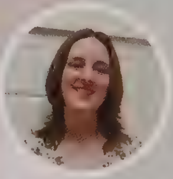
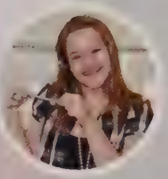


Practice Makes Perfect! Writing on the board, Jeremy Beitzel, 11, practices changing his verb endings. Students find this type of learning to be helpful.



"I like the challenge of learning a whole other language while I'm already taking French III."

Anita Opel, 12



"Knowing Spanish will benefit me because I will be able to communicate with others."

Amanda Brenneman, 11

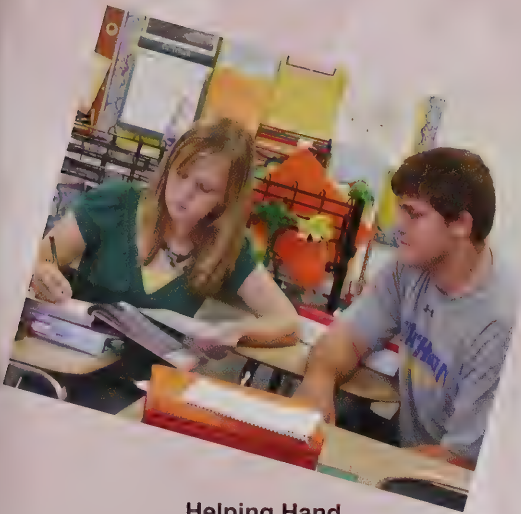
"I decided to take Spanish because it will be more beneficial than French in America."

Amber Kling, 11

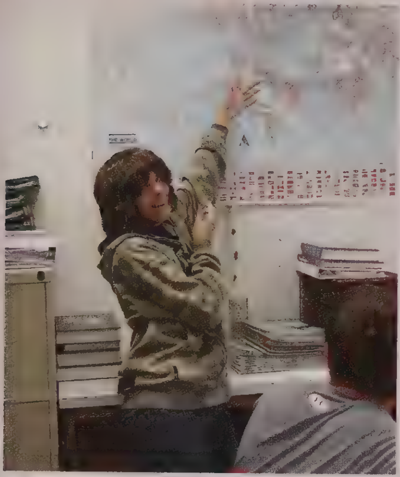
Why did you choose to take Spanish?

How do you think knowing Spanish will help you in the future?

Why did you choose to take Spanish?



Helping Hand
Working diligently, Brittney Allen, 10, and Tyler Opel, 10, learn their new vocabulary words. Learning vocabulary is the first step to understanding a foreign language.



Map it out! Gunnar Stubler, 10, shows his class where various Spanish-speaking countries are located in the world.

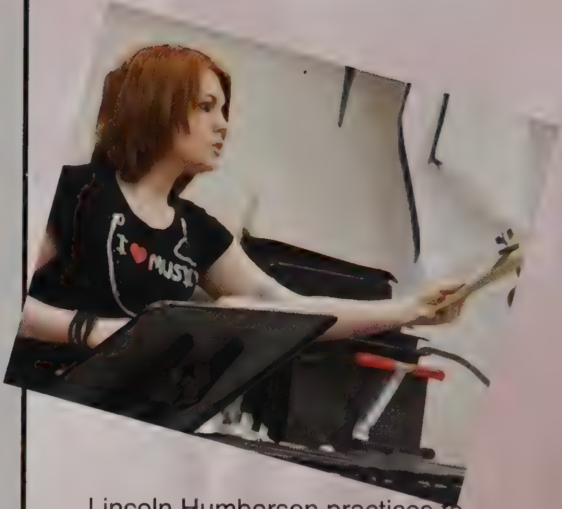
Co-Operative Learning
Students enjoy working with friends in Spanish class. Justin Lapp, 10, Carson Kamp, 10, Jordan Fratz, 10, and Tyler Friend, 10, complete the listening and speaking exercises from their books.

Entiendes? Trying to understand the Spanish concepts, Sean Shircliff, 11, Courtney Minnich, 10, and Randi Meyers, 10, work together to study for their test the next day. Sean stated that knowing Spanish will help in the future "through jobs I have, places I may visit, or people that I meet."

Presta Attencion! Mandi Fazenbaker, 12, and Kelsey Jones, 11, pay close attention to Mrs. Wilt as she explains their new vocabulary words. Kelsey said, "Flash cards are great for remembering new words because you can quickly check yourself to see if you got the word right."

Escribiendo y Hablando
Lacey Swauger, 11, Sarah Wampler, 11, Meghan Voelkel, 11, and Johanna Winter, 12, discuss the questions on their Spanish worksheets. Meghan stated, "Working with partners helps you to understand and pronounce words better" in Spanish class.

Harmony
Northern's and Southern's choruses come together to represent Garrett County's music programs.



Lincoln Humberson practices to perfect her part in the winter percussion show.

Steppin' Out
The Northern parade band displays thair pride for the community.

Show Choir brings dance and singing together in a show that entertains the audience.

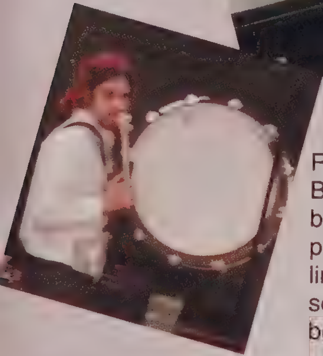
American Idols?
Chorus brings many styles of music together for an entertaining show for the community at the annual winter band and chorus concert.

Senior Color Guard members Sarah Griffin, Hannah Walters, and Katy Savage practice difficult maneuvers as they strive to work as a unit.

Musical Masters

Band and chorus members make beautiful music together

As he directs the band, Mr. Salisbury keeps the tempo and communicates to the players how to express the mood of each piece.



Richard Bowman brings the pulse to the line with a solid bass beat.

How does being in both chorus and color guard benefit you?

"It gives me a look at both sides of the music department, and helps me to be a more rounded person when it comes to music."

Hannah Walters, 12

What is your outlook for the future of the band?

"...Looking to the future, we need to add new players on a wider variety of instruments."

Mr Salisbury

Does being such a small group put pressure on the members of the band?

"Definitely! Since we're so small, basically everyone has a different part, so everyone has to play their part loudly and confidently."

Kristen Dewitt, 11

The Northern music department brings culture to the community in all of its programs. Marching band brings culture by playing aggressive, entertaining, march-style music in parades. Concert band, by playing moving and emotional music pieces. Winter drum line and guard, by playing fast-paced music and performing flag and marching work, with props, to a theme. Chorus, by exhibiting many styles of vocal performances. Alecia Bender, 10, says, "Chorus brings culture to the community by singing different genres and styles of music. We sing almost every style of music from gospel 'Go Down Moses' to the jazz hits such as 'Born to Shop' and even to the classic Broadway hits like 'Dreamgirls'." The music program also takes field trips to experience other musical cultures. This year the music department went to New York to perform in a national music compitition, in which chorus gained gold level performance, concert band got silver, and winter percussion and color guard won gold. The Northern music department strives to constantly bring musical excellence to the community in every way it can.

By Chris Spiker
Photos: Anthony Messina

What does the color guard do for the band?

"The color guard provides a wide variety of entertainment for the audience while the band performs songs that go along with the routines..."

Michelle Miller, 10

How does getting a gold award in New York reflect the hard work everyone has put forth in chorus?

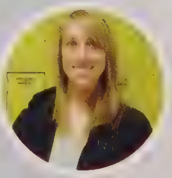
"... The students were real troopers and worked hard every day. Then, when the trip came, they stepped up to the challenge and performed their best..."

Mrs. Beachy

What does the chorus mean to you personally?

"Chamber Choir gives me a chance to get out of the everyday school work. It [is] a fun but challenging class that lets me expand my limits vocally."

Grace Herpel, 11



Feel the Burn! Chris Spiker, 12, leads the drumline in practice with warm-ups to build strength in their fore-arms.

Motor function!

How students learn to move through life.

"Preparation of young people is best accomplished by teaching life skills like how to manage money, career choices, maintaining good health, how to vote, how to cook, how to be an adult, and the importance of attitude and character."

-Mr. Douds

"Health knowledge and phys. ed. skills give each student a chance to live a healthy life and to enjoy life for a long time. Quality of life is what's important, and by exercising, one can improve and maintain quality of life."

-Mrs. Stough

"To me, life skills that you obtain in school are as beneficial as all the other skills you take from school. It is part of the process that makes you a success in life. Society in general is starting to falter due to lack of life skills."

-Mr. Carr

How do life skills classes prepare students for the future?

Just Say No
Lauren Adams, 9, and Andrew Mast, 9, help teach about the effects of drugs on the body.

Watch the Birdie
Meghan Voelkel, 11, and her partner play badminton in gym.

Life skills classes are meant to prepare students for their future lives. Physical Education helps students stay healthy by keeping them active. In health, students learn to take care of their bodies, and about the harmful effects of drugs. Driver's ed. teaches students the rules of the road, and how to operate a motor vehicle, while First Aid teaches them to be prepared to treat various injuries. Furthermore, students are instructed how to build muscle in a safe and healthy manner in weight training. Maryland's Tomorrow teaches students the importance of education. Autumn Frazee,11, said, "Having driver's ed. helps me because it gives me a basic understanding of driving and it gets me started driving so that I know what's going on when I get out on the road." Altogether, life skills classes teach us some of the many important lessons we all must learn eventually in life, and therefore are an extremely influential part of the educational system.

By Chris Spiker
Photos: Tony Messina

Clinton Maust, 11, builds his upper body with some curls in weight training class.

"It helps me to be healthy and to stay fit."

-Rahul Gopu, 9

"My favorite gym activity is tennis! I like tennis because it is fairly fast paced and is one of the best 'sports' for cardio."

-John Meyers, 12

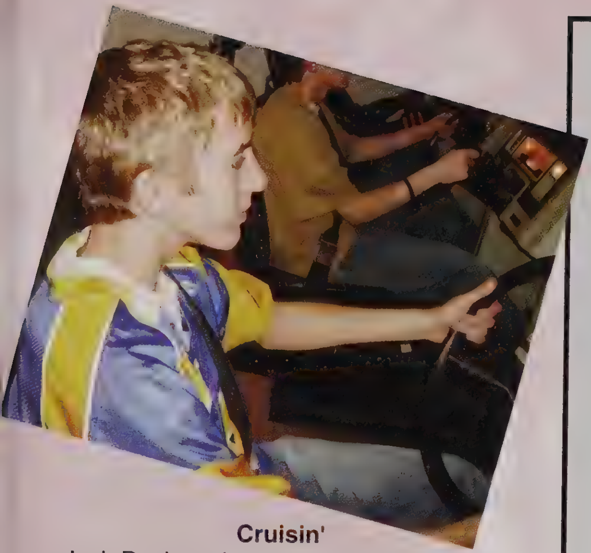
"We have learned about many jobs and about what happens to people who quit school, or don't get good jobs."

-Sonya Thomas, 9

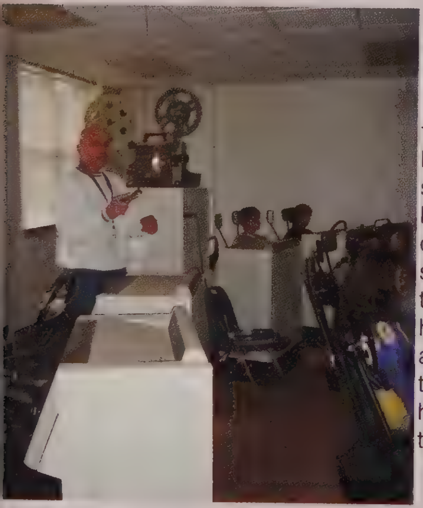
How does health class help prepare you for future life?

What is your favorite gym activity?

How has taking Maryland's Tomorrow helped you to better understand the world today?

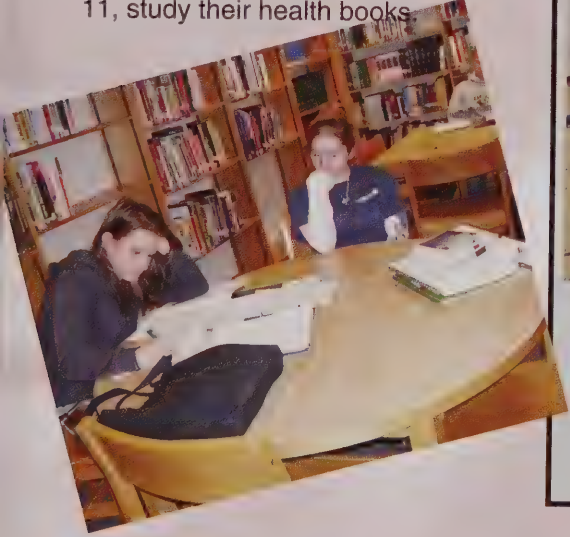


Cruisin'
Josh Duckworth,11, learns valuable skills about driving that he will soon use in the real world.



Don't Crash!
Mr. Douds teaches his students how to drive safely on the highway and through heavy traffic.

Keep It Healthy
Taylor Maltba, 10, and Chelsie Glotfelty, 11, study their health books.



No Bones About It
Chelsi Kling, 9, and Eric Maxim, 9, show their knowledge of the human skeleton in health class.

Keep Your Chin Up
Dylan Gallagher, 11, stays in shape by doing some pull ups in weight training.

Keep Your Eye on the Ball
Kory Kamp, 12, and Dan Boylan, 11, toss a medicine ball to work their upper bodies in Phys. Ed.

Under Pressure
In their Allied Health class, Ashley Wilhelm, 12, and Cortney Stein, 12, practice taking blood pressure. Ashley said that so far in Allied Health she has "learned how to take blood pressure and how to care for others who are in need."

Help! I Need Somebody...
Seniors Meggan Humberson and Katie Fike assist Ariana Wilt, 12, in Allied Health. Students learn many medical techniques that will be helpful in the future. Katie says Allied Health will help her in the future "because [she] would like to be an OB Nurse."

Shake, Rattle, and Roll
Seniors Amanda Beitzel, Katy Savage, Christine Bradshaw, Jaimee Kitzmiller, and Angie LaMastus learn games that they can play with the children when they visit day care centers and Head Starts. Child Care helps students to develop skills that will one day be beneficial in a job.

A Sweet Treat
Christine Bradshaw, 12, and Katy Savage, 12, make hard tack candy with the middle school students. Cooking is just one of the many fun activities students participate in during Child Care class.

Listen Up!
Amber Custer, 12, and Kasie Fratz, 12, listen intently as Ms. Friend instructs them on the proper CPR procedure.

Once Upon A Time
Angie LaMastus, 12, reads a children's book to her classmates Christine Bradshaw, 12, and Jaimee Kitzmiller, 12, in Child Care class.

Lending a Helping Hand

And Preparing for the Future

Have a Heart
Megan Margroff, 12, practices CPR on the dummy. Allied Health students learn concepts that could one day help to save a life.

Have Wheels, Can Travel
Allied Health students, Ashley Kinzey, 12, and Meggan Humberson, 12, practice wheeling "handicapped" people around the school.

What do you enjoy the most about your Child Care class?

"What I enjoy most about Child Care II is going out to placements and spending time with the little kids my senior year."

Amanda Beitzel, 12

Why did you decide to take Child Care?

"I decided to take Child Care because I wanted to be a math teacher."

Angie LaMastus, 12

How will Allied Health be beneficial to you in the future?

"We learn a lot of terminology and it should be helpful in college."

Lindsay Wolf, 12

Pablo Casals said, "I feel the capacity to care is the thing which gives life its deepest significance." Impacting and caring for the lives of others is exactly what the students in Allied Health and Child Care at Northern High School are dedicated to doing both now and in the future. Allied Health and Child Care are two of the most important classes offered, seeing as how these two courses lead directly into either the medical field or elementary education.

In Allied Health, students are given the opportunity to explore jobs and careers in the demanding health field. This program provides a chance for students to work with trained professionals through internships in hospitals and nursing homes. Allied Health is a college preparatory course which provides basics that enable students to enroll in programs training as registered nurses, physician assistants, x-ray technicians, along with many other careers. Ms. Friend is completing her first year teaching Allied Health at Northern and she said Allied Health "helps [students] to learn how to care for others properly," because "you never know when you may find yourself in that situation."

The other Human Services class, Child Care, provides preparation for a future job which involves helping children. While studying child growth and development, participants gain experience working with children in local child care facilities and elementary schools, and students have the opportunity to earn state certification through this class. Mrs. Law, the Child Care instructor, provides students with a well-balanced program that offers countless career opportunities.

Both Allied Health and Child Care are courses that prepare students for their future after high school. Whether or not these students choose to pursue a medical or educational career is up to them, but even if they do not, these courses teach valuable lessons that will last a lifetime.

By Ainsley Raley
Photos: Samantha Stemple

Why did you decide to take Allied Health?

"I took Allied Health because someday I would like to sell health insurance. I think the key terms will help me."

Kasondra Broadwater, 12

Why is it important for students to take Allied Health?

"For those interested in health careers, it gives them the opportunity to experience and investigate those careers before they pursue them educationally."

Ms. Friend

Why would you recommend for students to take Child Care?

"It is a great class for anyone interested in children, especially if you want a career involving young children."

Mrs. Law

Come Play with Me!
Amber Custer, 12, plays a game with the children during her Child Care field trip. In Child Care II, students visit Head Start classes to learn how to teach and care for kids.

Getting Down to Business

Satisfaction Guaranteed

"Business and computer-related jobs rank in the top 10% of job openings through the year 2010."

Ms. Sisler

"Items we use every day are made from electronics...hopefully the students will learn and have the confidence to fix things for themselves."

Mr. Kirchner

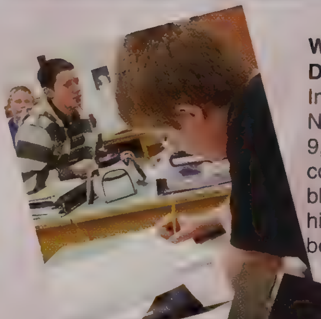
"It teaches students about drafting which is a graphic language. Many of today's occupations require students to draw or understand various types of drawings."

Mr. Stough

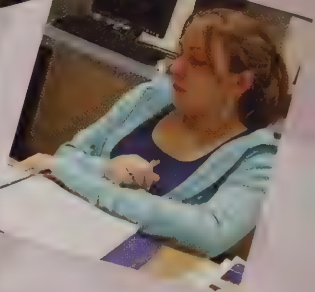
Why do you recommend that students take accounting or business law classes?

What skills are you teaching that will be most beneficial to students in the future?

Why do you recommend that students take drafting?



Win, Lose or Draw
In drafting class, Nicholas Buckel, 9, rushes to complete the blueprints before his deadline--the bell.



Listen Up!
Kari Wingrove, 10, takes notes in Computer Applications. Students learn to use Microsoft Word, Access, and Publisher.

"Look at a day when you are supremely satisfied at the end. It's not a day when you lounge around doing nothing; it's when you've had everything to do, and you've done it," said English historian Lord Acton. Students taking vocational courses learn many practical skills that they will use later on in their lives. Computer Applications, Keyboarding, Desktop Publishing, Electronics, Drafting, Accounting, Business Law, and Principles of Engineering are all classes that provide students with the opportunity to learn these skills. Senior Kelli Wilhelm says, "I have learned how to properly design layouts." Although designing layouts may not be useful in every field of work, most employers look for employees who have the ability to use computers efficiently.

Electronics and drafting are more specific courses that are great for those who plan to go into a related field of work. Each of these classes provides students with useful knowledge, whether it be about running a business, using a computer, or creating blueprints for a house. After taking any of these courses and learning the material, students are sure to feel that they will be successful in the future.

By Nicole Opel
Photos: Amber Hare

Mr. Roboto
Ryan Wilburn, 9, and Dylan Humberson, 9, collaborate to build a working robot. Principles of Engineering uses hands-on activities to teach students some of the basics.

"Usually my classes are small so I can have a less formal setting and get to know my students better."

Mr. Willaman

"This class is a great way to explore possible careers in various fields of engineering. Principles of Engineering covers many topics in mathematics, physics, electronics, and design."

Mr. Perfetti

"The technology is constantly changing and so is my class. It is not the same information over and over every year."

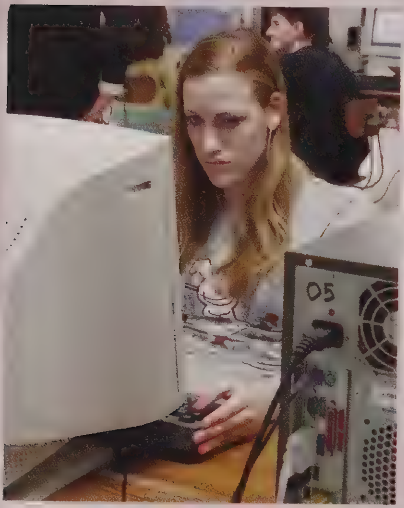
Mr. Lewis

What about this class makes it enjoyable to teach?

Why do you recommend that students take P.O.E?

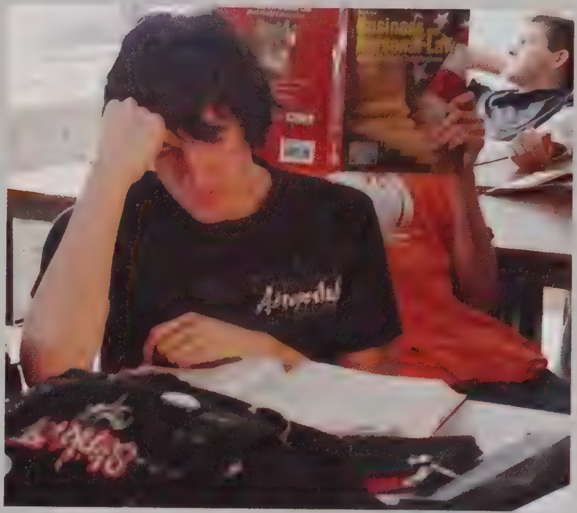
What about this class makes it enjoyable to teach?

It's Electric!
Michael Clise, 12, solders a motherboard as part of an in-class assignment. Students taking Electronics learn how to build and repair electronical apparatuses.



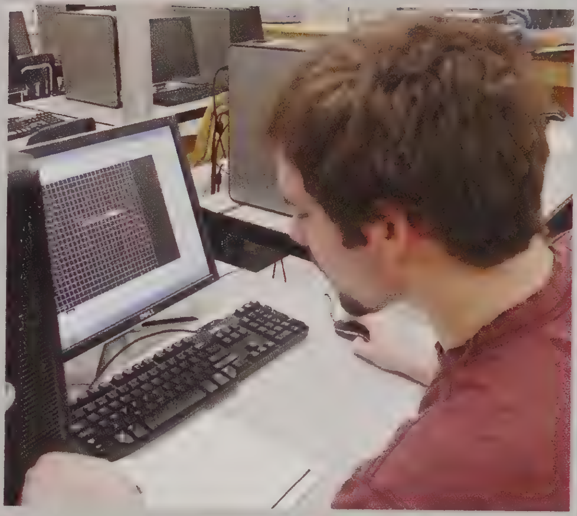
Count Me In!
Jenna Hanner, 11, learns the language of business while working on her accounting. Not only is it about adding, but also interpreting the numbers.

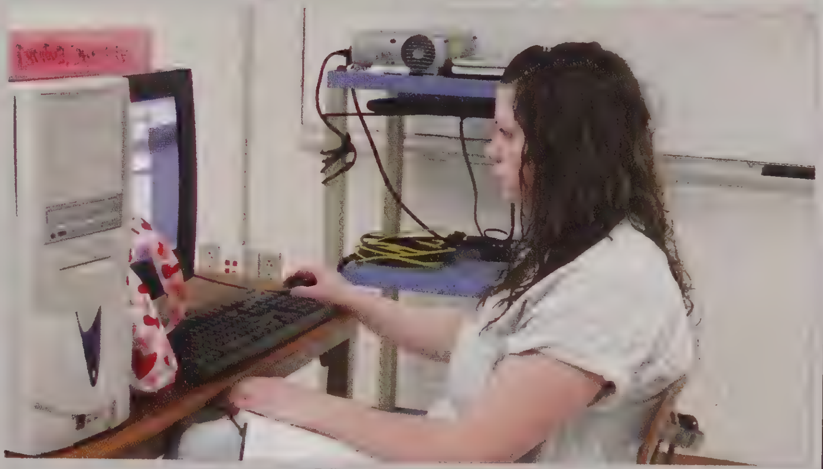
One-on-One
Anita Opel, 12, gets some one-on-one time with Ms. Sisler during Database class. Small classes allow for more teacher-student interaction.



We're Back in Business
Daniel Beitzel, 10, contemplates the definitions of vocabulary words and the content of the chapter. Business Law is useful in more than just businesses, but also in the everyday hustle and bustle of life.

Please Illustrate...
Senior Tony Messina works on the computer with AutoCAD to draw a figure. "AutoCAD is useful in drafting because we can produce more drawings faster than if we had to draw them by hand," says Messina.



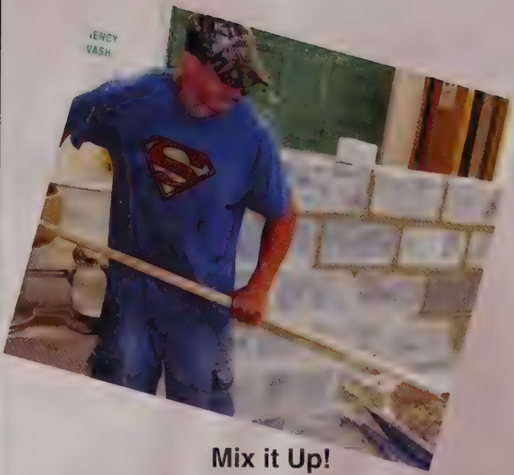


Make it Count!
Jasmine Miner, 12, works on her accounting assignment. Jasmine takes this class seriously because "I want to become a pediatrician or a secretary of some kind." We are all in high school for four years, so we might as well make it worth our time. Students planning to go into the business field have many options to choose from in terms of classes, and accounting just happens to be one of them.

What's Going On? Justin Kilmer, 11, watches as his fellow classmates, Kevin Knox, 11, and Carrie Fike, 11, try to figure out what the problem is under the hood of this car.

Let the Sparks Fly! Senior Brian Benedict watches Kory Kamp, senior, while he welds a piece of metal in Machine Tool class.

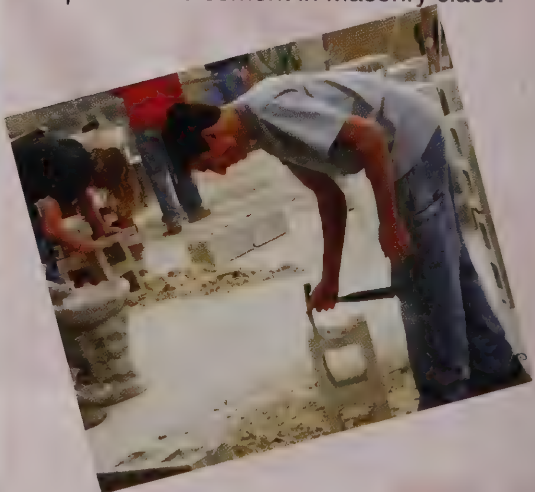
The Wheels in Auto Go Round and Round!! Teachers, as well as students, should be nice to junior Zach Fratz, as he changes their tires and does other work to their cars in Auto class.



Mix it Up! Blair Silbaugh, 12, prepares to make cement in Masonry class. This may be beneficial in his future career.

Nail It! Lara Beitzel, 11, works to complete the rest of the building in Carpentry class as her peers help out.

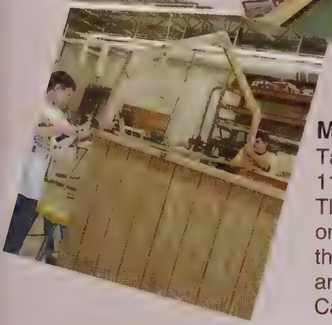
Chipping Away Senior Toby Maust, uses a hammer to pick off the cement in Masonry class.



Building Blocks of Life

Creating a Rock-Solid Foundation

Precision Ronald Keister, 12, uses the lathe in Machine Tool class to make his metal pieces rounder and more defined.



Meticulous Tanner Hyson, 11, and Russell Thomas, 11, put on a frame for the house they are building in Carpentry class.

What is your favorite part about teaching?

"Watching first year students grow into entry-level mechanics after three years of training."

Mr. Moranduzzo, Auto

"Watching the students' skill level improve through the year."

Mr. Bach, Masonry

"Watching my students grow in their ability and the maturing of their working habits."

Mr. Beitzel, Carpentry

"It gives me something to do during the day so I'm not sitting around all day," says Aaron Wilburn, 12. This describes many of the students' attitudes towards their career pathways in some areas of the vocational hallways at NHS. Auto Mechanics, Carpentry, Machine Tool, and Masonry class are a few classes that require determination, accuracy, and most of all, hard work. From pounding nails to changing oil in cars, the students in the many different pathways in the vocational areas are learning new things every day. "By helping me prepare for situations as a mechanic on the job [auto helps me prepare for the future]," says Chad Wilburn, 10. "It can help me get a better job that pays good money," says Bradley Friend, 12, about his Machine Tool class. This can definitely be beneficial in the future. There are many reasons why students enter the vocational pathways. Some may just plain love the class, others may just take the classes to graduate, but many students like the outcome of the assignment. "I like to build different projects in Masonry [class]," says senior Taylor Cabe. No matter why a student is in a vocational class, there is always something to learn!

By Lindsay Wolf
Photos: Elizabeth Knox

What can be learned from YOUR class?

"Showing students how geometry and trigonometry can be applied to the manufacturing industry."

Mr. Roth, Machine Tool

"We learn basic auto skills that can save us hundreds of dollars."

Chris Murray, 11, Auto

"How to lay brick and block... [and] about estimating materials, and layouts."

Jason Warnick, 12, Masonry

Accuracy Senior Roland Beaule concentrates as he uses a drill in Carpentry class to fix a broken picnic table. Others may do projects such as building boxes or making parts of houses.

Outside of the Doghouse

Huskies are not all about work. They also like to have fun outside of the doghouse. Like our students, they like to get out and have a good time.

The students support their teams at sporting events by cheering them on with groups like the DPG. They also go to events like the Garrett County Fair and help Blind Skiers. It is all about having a good time in Garrett County and Northern's student do this by being involved in their community.

Ho! Ho! Ho!
Mr. Maddy helps spread the Christmas cheer before leaving for break.

By Stephanie Shapiro
Photos: Staff

Evaluation
Ethan Broadwater, 12, judges vegetables for an FFA event.

Party Like a Rock Star
Jessie Storey, 12, rocks out with his guitar.

Senior Fun!
Stephanie Shapiro, Leah Frazee, and Amy Lander spend Halloween out on the town.

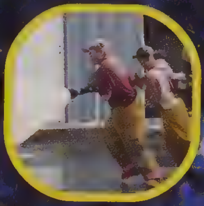
Ride a Wave!
Alyssa Rounds, 10, enjoys a great day wakeboarding.

Summer Life...
Samantha Stemple, 12, and Alexis Shannon, 12, enjoy eating ice cream cones at Friendsville Days.

In a Bind?
Cory Stout, 12, helps a friend get his truck out of a sticky situation!

Say CHEESE!
Kara Savage, 11, poses with her bovine friend.

Pressure
Bradley Friend, 12, and Jeffery Lowdermilk, 12, practice spraying techniques.



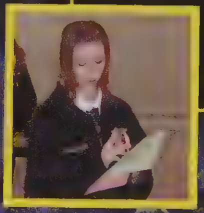
N-ICE to Meet You
Abbey Rugola, 12, poses with Penguins player Colby Armstrong.

Girls' Night Out
Freshmen Melissa Ganoe, Sarah Friend, Nicole Ochinel, and Sonya Thomas get ready to have fun at a church function.

SCORE!
Zachary Lipscomb, 11, shows off his moves to score a goal.

Not Just a King
Aaron Babcock, 11, concentrates on his next chess move.

Strike...
Ashley Rodeheaver, 11, poses with her bowling ball.



Concentrate
Andrea Upole, 11, prepares her FFA evaluation.

She thinks my tractor's . . .
Amanda Beitzel, 12, prepares for some outdoor fun with her tractor.

Dancing the Night Away
At homecoming Garrett Gulledge, 12, and Matt Mason, 12, share a special moment together.

Going with the Flow
Dustin Stough, 11, fights the current and his competitors during the National Whitewater Slalom Championship in McHenry.

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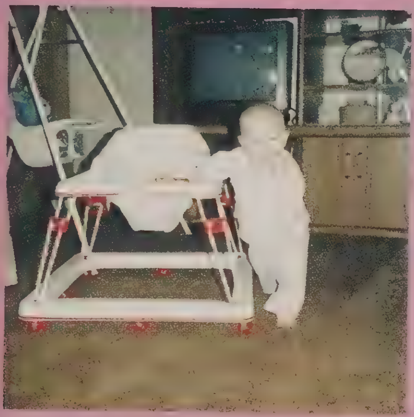

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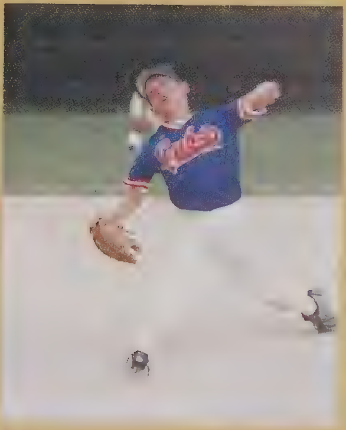

Danielle

Trust in the Lord with all your heart
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In all your ways acknowledge Him,
And He will make your paths straight.
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Danielle~We are thankful for who you are and what you have become~

Love from your ~Dad~Mom~and~Taryn~

We remeber yreas ago, you were so little then, Sometimes we can't help but wish that you were small again.
We've cried when you've faced heartaches, and saw that as you grow.
Nothing broke your Spirit, instead it strengthened you.
We're filled with mixed emotions, as we hold back all the tears.
And with much pride remember back so many years.
When we first held you in our arms, if only we had known.
The years would feel like moments, after you had grown.
You aren't a child, though in our eyes we guess you'll always be.
That baby boy who changed our life and means the world to me.
You'll leave us soon to spread your wings, a dream or two to find.
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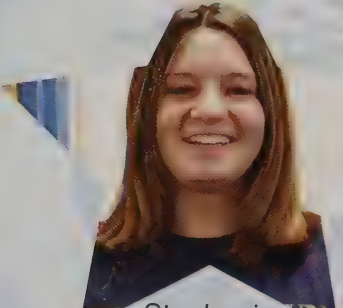
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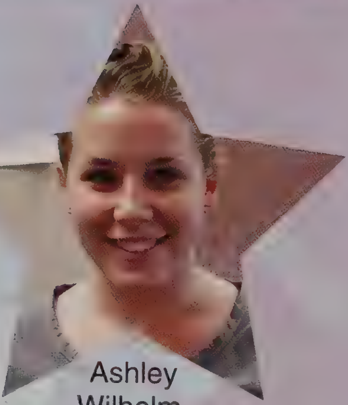
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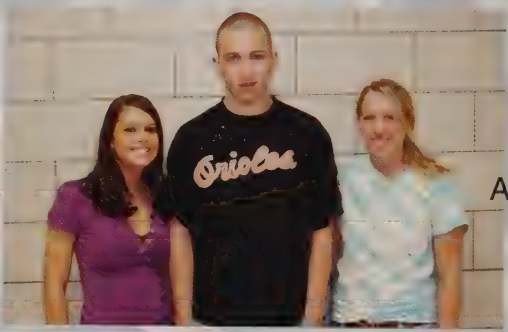

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